Bellefonte Republican.

Est[illegible] Gen'l James A Beaver Mch 08 — Let Us See To it that A Government of the People, for the People and by the Peoule, Shall Not perish from the Earth. A. LINCOLN — TERMS. $1.50 Per Yr. If Paid in Advance $1

VOL. XXXX — BELLEFONTE, PA., THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH 19, 1908 — NO 12

NEW LAW UNPOPULAR

Railroad Employes are Greatly Dissatisfied with 16 hour Law

LEFT FAR FROM HOME

Law is Responsible for Reduction in Earning Abilities of Train and Engine Crews,

SIDETRACKED WHEN NEAR HOME

Railroad employes are greatly dissatisfied with the operation of the 16-hour law which went into effect several days ago, says the Harrisburg Telegraph.

Although the new time limit is reached only in the cases of emergency, it is said, when formerly engineers and firemen were compelled to work as many as 20 hours without rest, the men find that the law imposes unnecessary hardships in that they must leave their locomotives at any point along the line. The same applies to train crews.

In the case of those who are running freight trains the burden is said to be exceptionally trying for the train might at any time have to side-tracked to comply with the law, especially when the time limit is up in one man's case only.

The men complain that they are often not only left far from their homes but are cut off from earning as much as formerly whenever it is impossible to reach a certain point within the working period allowed by the law. In other words, if it is an hour's run to the next convenient point for dropping off one of the locomotive crew or trainmen, and the man's working time will have been 16 hours before that place can be reached, he must quit there and then, so as not to violate the law.

In this way the extra pay which employes have earned before the law's passage and operation is denied them. The railroad companies refuse to pay for time not consumed in actual running of trains, the fact that a trainman was bound for a certain destination at the train's start not being allowed to figure in the reckoning, no matter now many hours he has worked besore the last trip was undertaken.

It is estimated that the law will be responsible for a reduction of from 12 to 15 per cent. in the earning abilities of train and engine crews, at least temporarily. Instances of freight trains having been held up at sidings for want of a fresh man to begin a new day have already occurred in this state.

Little trouble has been apparent thus far in the workings of the nine hour law telegraphers in any part of the country.

Caught in the Net

The following item is taken from Saturday's Tyrone Herald and implicates two Bellefonte people, who will likely get their just deserts before they get through with their escapade:

Samuel Myers and Mrs. Calvin Horner, of Bellefonte, arrived in Tyrone February 5 and registered at the Garman House as "man and wife." They lived happily together some time and then Mrs. Horner went to West Tyrone where she has been employed as a domestic. At the same time Myers paid her friendly visits. Saturday morning the young couple were arrested on the charge of adultry and desertion and landed in the coop until they can furnish bail for their appearance at court. Mrs. Horner has a husband living in Bellefont and four pretty little children at Centre Hall. She says she loves Myers and will stick to him if she has to go to the penitentiary.

Young Man Loses Hand.

Stewart Crispen, a young man of Mill Hall, met with a terrible and unfortunate accident Thursday forenoon, whereby he lost his right hand at the wrist joint. He was working on the Bickford saw mill a short distance from his home, and was a edging a board on the single edger when in some manner his glove caught in the saw drawing his hand into it and completely severing it. After having the injury temporarily dressed by Dr. Painter the unfortunate young man was taken to the Lock Haven hospital.

SEMI-MONTHLY MEETING OF COUNCIL.

Regular Meeting of Borough Solons Held Monday Evening

The regular monthly meeting of the borough council convened at the usual hour Monday evening with President Judge in the chair and all members present.

Five new applications for police, besides those of Wm. Beezer, Geo. Jodon and W. C. Garbrick, were received. The additional seekers for this office were John Morrison, John Anderson, J. H. Peters, Harry Dukeman and Joseph Alters. Upon recommendation of the Fire and Police committee Wm. Beezer and Joseph Alters were elected policemen.

A petition was received from residents at and near the corner of Logan and Penn streets asking that an arc light be placed on the corner. The petition was referred to the street committee for investigation.

A communication from Fire Marshal Houser recommended the purchase of 800 feet of new hose for the use of the two fire companies. Referred to the fire and police committee for investigation as to the need of more hose and to secure prices on same.

A communication from the borough treasurer called attention to the expiration of notes amounting to $13,500 held by the Bellefonte Trust company and the issuance of a note for $2000 for current expenses, and interest on same amounting to $339.

Upon recommendation of the water committee council authorized Water Superintendent S. D. Ryan to make the water assessment. The committee also asked privilege of purchasing lumber and making repairs to the dam. This privilege was granted.

A resolution was read by the chairman of the Water committee recommending that the water rate for consumers outside of the borough be fixed at thirty cents per thousand cubic feet, with a minimum charge of $8.00 per year. The resolution was adopted by the council.

Residents of Potter street ask to have a guard rail placed along the embankment at the side of that throughfare. The request was referred to the proper committee.

Permission was granted to Samuel Kern for using water for sprinkling purposes on High street.

The Logan Hose company ask permission to remove a partition in the building to enlarge their reading room. This request was referred to the Fire and police committee, with instructions to interview the architect whether or not the partition could be removed without damage to the building.

The following bills were approved and orders drawn:

Street pay roll	$ 34.54
F. Wallace	8.00
Police pay roll	52.50
A. O. Yerger	1.00
R. B. Taylor	20 00
W. B. Rankin	339 00
Water works pay roll	56.50
Total	$511.54

WON BY CLOSE SCORE.

St. Columbia Loses Player by Death, and Academy Plays State Scrubs.

The Academy basket ball team won their seventh consecutive victory Friday night when they defeated the strong State College scrubs team in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium by the close score of 22—20. The Johnstown team was scheduled to play, but a telegram received Friday announcing the death of a Johnstown player, rendered it necessary to seek an other team as opponents and the college players kindly consented to help the Academy out of their dilemma. The game was one of the most exciting ever played in the gymnasium. The Scrubs were strengthened by the presence of Barnett who last year played on the State "Varsity" team. The score was tied again and again during the evening. Great credit is due every player on the Academy team for the great victory.

The line up:

Scrubs		Academy
Yeckley	forward	Laderer
Davis	"	Meyers
Amdon	centre	Aikens
Barnett (capt)	guard	Oberlin
Harrington	guard	Galbraith
Shobert		

Goals from field Amdon 5, Barnett 2, Yecklev 1, Laderer 5, Meyers 2, Aikens 1, Galbraith 1.

Goals from fouls—Davis 4, Laderer 3, Meyers 1.

Time of halves 20 minutes. Referee Dr. Platts.

ROSENTHAL CAPTURED

Reading Suspect Caught in Billings, Okla., by Detectives

ACCUSED OF MURDER

Of Brother-in-law, Lewis B. Clawson a Shirt Manufacturer in his Office at Reading.

PRISONER IS ON HIS WAY EAST

Reading, March 15.—"Have our man, Will start East tonight."

The above message, telling of the identification of Abraham Rosenthal, arrested at Billings, Okla., for the murder of his brother-in-law, Lewis B. Clawson, the Reading shirt manufacturer, was received today by District Attorney Schaeffer.

The telegram was received from Wilson Rothermel, the Reading lawyer who left this city for Oklahoma last Thursday with County Detective Merkel, when word was received that a suspect answering the description of Rosenthal had been arrested at Billings and taken to jail at Perry.

Rothermel accompanied the county detective for the purpose of identifying the prisoner. The attorney was a fellow-boarder of Rosenthal's at the Merchants' Hotel, in this city.

Detective Merkel also telegraphed today from Perry that Rosenthal had been identified. The party is expected to arrive on Tuesday.

Before Detective Merkel reached Billings the suspect denied that he was the man wanted and said he came from Philadelphia. Search of his room failed to reveal anything that would definitely identify him.

Every mark on his clothing and linen had been erased or cut out. Rosenthal, it was said, was traced to Oklahoma by the Philadelphia Detective Bureau.

Miss Blanche Harrison, Clawson's stenographer, charged the crime to Rosenthal, saying Clawson was afraid of him because of threats made by Rosenthal, which, she said, were caused by family troubles. She declared that Mrs. Clawson was jealous of her without cause, and had informed her brother. She also hinted at blackmail.

At the Coroner's inquest Rosenthal was held responsible for the murder. Miss Rachel Layman, a former employee of Clawson, testified that Rosenthal, on January 21, told her not to be surprised if he did something desperate to Clawson.

WILLIAM DAWSON.

Resident of Willowbank Street Died at His Home Friday Evening.

William Dawson an aged resident of Willowbank street died at his home Friday eve shortly before eleven o'clock Mr. Dawson had been ill for almost two months with bright's disease, election day being the last time he was out of the house. He was born on November 14th 1839, making his age at the time of his death 66 years, 3 months and 29 days. He has always resided in the vicinity of Bellefonte and for the past twenty-five years has lived in town. He was well known in and around Bellefonte and a highly respected citizen.

Surviving him are his wife Marilla, one son and two daughters as follows: James H. Dawson, of Axe Mann; Mrs. Thomas Moore, of Philadelphia; and Mrs. T. Clayton Brown, who made her home with her parents. The following are brothers: Isaac Dawson, of Bellefonte; James Dawson, of Tyrone; and Samuel Dawson, of Missoula, Mont.

Funeral services were held at the house Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. James B. Stein officiated. Interment was made in the Union cemetery.

Entertains Her Girl Friends.

Miss Margaret Hughes celebrated her fifteenth birthday anniversary by entertaining her school girl friends on Saturday evening. Quite an elaborate program had been carefully prepared to insure an evening of genuine surprise and pleasure and the young girl guests are not at all sparing in their expressions of delight over the success of the party. One of the pretty and pleasing incidents of the evening was the crowning of Miss Margaret as "Queen of March."

AN ENJOYABE EVENING.

The Bellefonte Presbyterian Brotherhood Organized

The Chapel of the Presbyterian church was the scene of a pleasant gathering Monday evening when the men of the church met to complete the organization of their Brotherhood. At half past six they sat down to a supper provided for them by the ladies of the Mite Society. The supper was a great success as the sixty men who were present certainly testified to by the way they made the good things disappear:

After the inner man was satisfied, cigars were passed around, and the business part of the evening was taken up. Gen. Beaver presided and the first thing in order was a vote of thanks to the ladies for their splendid banquet.

Rev. John Hewitt, rector of St. John's Episcopal church was the guest of honor, and made a very happy speech congratulating the men on the movement they were about to inaugerate. He told some witty stories that put everyone in a good humor.

J. C. Meyer Esq., chairman of the committee on organization then read his report, which embodied the constitution an bylaws of the Brotherhood. It is to be called the Bellefonte Presbyterian Brotherhood, and is open to membership for all men over 18 years of age. The dues are only $1.00 a pear and they are to meet in the chapel the third Monday of every month, except July and August.

The report was adopted and the following officers were elected:

President—C. M. McCurdy.

1st Vice-President—Wm. P. Humes.

2nd Vice-President—James H. Potter.

Secretary—Edward L. Hoy.

Financial Secretary—M. L. Altenderfer.

Treasurer—John Curtin.

President McCurdy appointed the following committees:

Refreshments—James R. Hughes, Ch. John P. Lyon, D. Paul Fortney, James C. Furst, W. H. Gephart, H. S. Linn.

Entertainment—J. C. Meyer, Ch., James A. Beaver, R. G. H Hayes, J. D. Hunter, S. Kline Woodring.

Membership—Chas. F. Cook, Ch., Fred R. Bussler, J. L. Spangler, Milan Walker, M. I. Gardner, Chas. F. Mensch F. E. Naginey, G. M. Gamble, Paul D. Sheffer.

Visitation of Sick—W. H. Crissman, Ch., W. T. Gainford, W. B. Rankin, R. M. Kaup.

Strangers—W. Francis Speer, Ch., Chas. T. Noll, T. H. Harter, H. C. Yeager, Christie J. Smith, James H. Harris, Edmund Hayes.

Church Attendance—F. H. Thomas, Ch., John S. Walker, Edward L. Gates, G. W. Hall, David Miller, Ed. Nolan, W. Harrison Walker.

Employment—Thomas Beaver, Ch., Louis Wallace, Jos. L. Runkle, D. I. Willard, James Schofield, John McCoy.

Speeches were made by Col. J. L. Spangler, Gen. Beaver, J. C. Meyer, Esq., and Rev. James P. Hughes after which the meeting adjourned to meet the third Monday in April

Death of the Innocents.

Philip, the bright and interesting little son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McCulley of Logan street, died shortly after one o'clock Wednesday morning in convulsions. His illness was very short and prior to his taking sick he had been in apparently good health. The deceased infant was a year old on the 15th of last month. The friends assembled at the house Friday afternoon at two o'clock and proceeded to the Catholic church where services were held. Interment in the Catholic church.

Mr. and Mrs. David Steele are mourning the death of their youngest daughter Adaline, who died shortly after seven o'clock Wednesday evening. This sweet and charming little girl had been suffering for some time with catarrhal and bronchial troubles and while death was imminent it was sad to part with the innocent child. Little Adaline would have been a year old had she lived till the 25th of next month. Funeral services were held at the house Friday afternoon at 3 30 o'clock and interment were made in the Union cemetery. Services were private.

Ten Citizens Shot.

New York, March 16.—A dispatch from Port Au Prince, Hayti, says ten prominent citizens were taken from their beds at an early hour and summarily shot near the cemetery by order of General Leconte, new Minister of the Interior. Port Au Prince is panic stricken, Foreign consuls have called for warships.

RETRENCHMENT AT RENOVO

Reduction of the working force at the shops continues

BUSINESS MEN GLOOMY

Since January 20 per cent of Railroad Employes have been laid off

IT IS A HARD BLOW TO THE TOWN

Renovo, March 17.—The reduction of the working force of the railroad shops at this place has been completed and a compilation of figures, taken from the discharges made in different departments, places the total number at 192. This is a twenty per cent cut in the shop department alone. Added to one hundred and fifty men who were similarly treated in January, the total percentage goes up to thirty. The number affected by the order for retrenchment this month is twenty per cent while that of January was ten.

The machine shop received the hardest blow. The initative was taken in that department and discharges were made by the wholesale. The car department taken as a single institution received a body blow when orders were given for the discharge of 104 employes. These, however, were distributed under eight different heads, of which the freight car shop is chief loser by thirty-nine men.

The feeling among the business men is one of depression. There is nothing tangible to be obtained as to the cause for the great sweep that has been made. The situation is ascribed to various conditions, but the one to receive the most credence is that a reduction in wages may be contemplated as a movement for a time in the future, and those who were discharged the past three months are thrown on the market, to add to its already glutted condition so far as the labor world is concerned. Adverse legislation against corporate interests and the amount of agitation in the ranks of members of various labor unions, by which the great corporations have suffered, is also attributed as a cause for the present flurry.

William Shope Advancing.

The many friends of William F. Shope will be glad to learn that he is rapidly winning his way in the business world. By his noble efforts and strict attention to business he has secured another advancement. Since graduating from the Bellefonte High School in '06 he has filled various positions with marked success. Among them was a term as teacher in the public schools. Later he assisted his father on his saw mill, worked at Sechler's grocery store, and on the first of last December assumed the editorial chair of the Bellefonte Daily News and Republican, which position he filled for several months. He then entered the service of the Bell Telephone Company and after working for them less than two months he has been promoted and sent to Lock Haven as agent. "Billy" is an industrious and ambitious young man and it is the wish of his many friends that he may meet with success in his new venture

Mrs. Swope's Body Found.

The body of Mrs. Anna Swope, the Lock Haven woman who drowned herself in the river at that place last December, was found Friday evening in the river near Muncy. The body was discovered by John Miller, of Muncy, a trackman on the Pennsylvania railroad, near the "MU" tower about three miles west of Muncy.

Coroner Hardt, of Williamsport was notified and he at once went to the scene. He found the body to be that of a middle aged woman and clad only in an undershirt. The features were in a good state of preservation. The coroner remembered the drowning of Mrs. Swope and at once put himself in communication with the Clinton county authorities and learned that the body of Mrs. Swope had never been found. The description they gave fit the body exactly and the coroner was satisfied with the identification. George Swope, the husband, and John Wise, brother of the deceased went to Williamsport to identify the body.

POSTMASTER SUICIDES

Theodore Musser of Clarence Goes to a Tree near his home and Shoots Himself.

On December 7th, 1907, Theodore Musser, postmaster at Clarence, left his home ostensibly for the purpose of going to the postoffice but he never reached there. It was the general impression in the neighborhood that the mind of the old gentlemen became confused and that he lost his bearings, wondering away and perishing in the cold. A thorough search was instituted at the time but no trace of the missing man could be found.

On Saturday afternoon while Frank Uzzle and another man were out hunting they found the remains under a tree. They had been covered by the heavy snows of the winter and consequently hidden from view. Justice of the Peace Thompson, was notified and an inquest was held, but the condition in which the lifeless man was found was sufficient evidence of the manner in which he came to his death. In his hand was a revolver and in his head was a bullet hole and it would naturally be supposed that he met death at his own hands.

At the time of his leaving home there was nothing to indicate that he had any troubles and financially he was in good standing. No reason can be assigned for his having committed the act. He had been in converation with members of the family before leaving the house. The place where he was found was only about 200 yards from the house, and it is thot that the body was covered with snow after the act was committed.

The deceased was aged about 69 years and is survived by a wife and five children. He was a member of the civil war and served in Co. E., 148th regiment. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock.

James Runkle

James Runkle, father of W. G. Runkle of Bellefonte died at his home near Tusseyville Tuesday morning about 7 o'clock, at the age of 83 years, 11 months and 25 days. Mr. Runkle has been in feeble health for some time but about two weeks ago he took ill with grip which developed into pneumonia and caused his death.

He was born and raised in Penns Valley and when about 25 years of age he moved to the farm near Tusseyville where he has since lived. In his younger days he was a veterinary and auctioner and traveled over this and adjoining counties. He was a member of the Reformed church and lived a consistent life and was the last of a family of twelve children, all of whom lived over three score and ten years, the allotted time of man.

The deceased is survived by his aged wife and the following children: Mrs. Charles Sullivan, York; Mrs. James High, Lock Haven; Mrs. Calvin Osman, Glenn Iron; W. G. Runkle, Esq., Bellefonte; James at home; Hugh Runkle, Lock Haven; Mrs. Frank Musser, Penn Hall. The funeral took place Friday morning at 11 o'clock. Interment at Tusseyville.

George W. Mann.

George W. Mann of Eagleville died in the Lock Haven hospital Friday afternoon about 5 o'clock with a peculiar malady which puzzled the physicians who had charge of the case. Mr. Mann became ill about eight weeks ago and as he did not improve was taken to the Lock Haven hospital on Tuesday. An operation was resorted to as the only means by which the patient's life might be saved and the surgeons had hardly begun before they realized the hopelessness of the case, as the abdominal cavity was entirely filled with pus.

The deceased was employed most of the time in the woods. He was aged 51 years on February 22. His wife, one son, Clair, and two daughters Etta and Merris survive. He is also survived by four brothers, William, Robert, John and Edward Mann all of Johnsonburg; and three sisters, Mrs. Sadie Bosler and Ella Mann, both of Johnsonburg, and Mrs. Charles H. Long of Mill Hall.

Funeral services were conducted in the Disciple church at Eagleville this afternoon and interment was made at Romola.

Prohibition.

In Summer's cafe on Allegheny street there is a conspicuous and artistic notice. "Positively No Smoking Allowed." When asked if certain women cigarette smoking would be allowed, Summers replied, "Positively they would not." That cafe is in advance of local option and is not only positive but quite suggestive just now.

A NOTICER.

SUICIDE AT LEWISBURG

Shoe Merchant Ends Life by Jumping Into the River

BUSINESS REVERSES

Given as Cause of the Act—Search at Once Started for Body of the Drowned Man.

NO TRACE OF IT HAS BEEN FOUND

Lewisburg, March 13.—W. B. Marsh, a prominent shoe merchant and for the past thirty years prominently identified with the business and social life of this place, deliberately committed suicide Thursday morning by jumping from the unfinished river bridge. No one saw him jump but the fact that he had done so was soon discovered and a search was at once begun for the body. The current at the point at which he jumped is very swift, however, and up to an early hour Thursday afternoon the body had not been found. Business reverses are said to be responsible for the act.

The bridge is only partially finished and workmen were working on the first span. About 10 o'clock in the morning Mr. Marsh walked out on the bridge to where the men were at work. He stopped and talked to them for a few minutes, after which he walked out along the boardwalk, which is finished to about the middle of the bridge. After a few minutes he again returned to where the men were at work, addressing a few more words to them and watching them for awhile. He showed no signs of any undue mental strain but appeared to be in the best of spirits. Then, for the second time, he walked to the end of the boardwalk and this was the last seen of him alive.

About ten minutes afterward a little girl, who had gone to the end of the boardwalk, came running back to the workmen and told them that there was a pile of clothes laying at the end of the bridge. They went to the place and found Mr. Marsh's coat, overcoat, and hat, the two former articles nicely folded and all laid together in a neat pile. His cane was hanging on the railing. There was no trace of the man and though search was at once started his body was not recovered. Mr. Marsh had evidently removed his outer clothing and then deliberately jumped into the water. The river at this point is about ten feet deep and the current very swift.

Law Fails to Stop Practice.

The following article is clipped from the Jersey Shore Herald and is very timely. Almost any hour during the day one can see boys running the streets with a cigarette in their mouth. This law, like many others is all right in the text but there it ends. The Herald says:

"Prof. H. H. Weber of the public schools at Jersey Shore says the cigarette habit is growing to an alarming extent among the pupils of the schools, so much so that a meeting of the teachers and directors may be held this week to take some action on the matter. He thinks the law is not being complied with, and that an investigation should be made in reference to the sale of cigarettes to the children of the town."

A Most Valuable Agent.

The glycerine employed in Dr. Pierce's medicines greatly enhances the medicinal properties which it extracts from native medicinal roots and holds in solution much better than alcohol would. It also possesses medicinal properties of its own, being a valuable demulcent, nutritive, antiseptic and antiferment. It adds greatly to the efficacy of the Black Cherry-bark, Bloodroot, Golden Seal root, Stone root and Queen's root, contained in "Golden Medical Discovery" in subduing chronic, or lingering coughs, bronchial, throat and lung affections, for all of which these agents are recommended by standard medical authorities.

In all cases where there is a wasting away of flesh, loss of appetite, with weak stomach, as in the early stages of consumption, there can be no doubt that glycerine acts as a valuable nutritive and aids the Golden Seal root, Stone root, Queen's root and Black Cherrybark in promoting digestion and building up the flesh and strength, controlling the cough and bringing about a healthy condition of the whole system. Of course, it must not be expected to work miracles. It will not cure consumption except in its earlier stages. It will cure very severe, obstinate, hang-on, chronic coughs, bronchial and laryngeal troubles and chronic sore throat with hoarseness. In acute coughs it is not so effective. It is in the lingering hang-on coughs, or those of long standing, even when accompanied by bleeding from lungs, that it has performed its most marvelous cures.

Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Med. College, Chicago, says of glycerine:

"In dyspepsia it serves an excellent purpose. Holding a fixed quantity of the peroxide of hydrogen in solution, it is one of the best manufactured products of the present time in its action upon enfeebled, disordered stomachs, especially if there is ulceration or catarrhal gastritis (catarrhal inflammation of stomach), it is a most efficient preparation. Glycerine will relieve many cases of pyrosis (heartburn) and excessive gastric (stomach) acidity."

"Golden Medical Discovery" enriches and purifies the blood curing blotches, pimples, eruptions, scrofulous swellings and old sores, or ulcers.

Send to Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., for free booklet telling all about the native medicinal roots composing this wonderful medicine. There is no alcohol in it.

Some Knowledge Profound.

Nobody knows how noble it is to know. But if you do not know, and nobody knows that you do not know, and you know that nobody knows that you don't know, it is very pleasant to know that they don't know that you don't know that they don't know that you don't know. No man knows how much he really knows until he knows how much other people know that he doesn't know. To "know thyself" is really all there is worth knowing, and since no man really knows himself and there is no other knowledge worth knowing and we do not know the only thing worth knowing we really know nothing. But to know that we know nothing is knowledge greater than the knowledge that some people think they have when they really know nothing and think they know something. Therefore it is greater to know nothing and know it than to think we know something when we know nothing. So if you know nothing and you think you do, and I know nothing and don't think I do, I know more than you. It is therefore well that we know that we don't know.—Exchange.

Somewhat Mixed.

Margaret Durham was the latest arrival at Miss Simmons' select boarding school, and, being pretty and well dressed, she was popular.

Would she be an usher at the monthly musicale? Margaret was horribly shy. She never could do it—oh, never! But the chosen five elected her for the sixth, so the evening found her a perfect flutter of white frills and pink bows (this was the pink musicale) awaiting to receive the early comers. Each of the hardened five bore forward an imposing auditor, and Margaret found herself inquiring of a very ancient and elegant old gentleman in a voice scarcely audible, "Sir, shall I show you to a seat?"

"What, what, what?" demanded the elderly party irascibly, holding his hand to his ear.

"Sir," screamed the flustered novice, "shall I sew you to a sheet?"

Then five lace handkerchiefs were crammed into five tittering mouths, while Miss Margaret bolted from the scene of her discomfiture, and the five were left to do the honors.—Harper's Weekly.

A Breakfast In Siberia.

"I spent two weeks in the hut of a Siberian savage a prisoner to the black frost," said an explorer. "Shall I ever forget those two weeks? No, no! A Siberian breakfast comes to my mind. We took it lying on our stomachs round a kind of pie board, which was our table. The first dish was frozen weeds dipped in seal oil and served with large chunks of fresh blubber. The second dish was raw walrus. The third dish was walrus hide, an inch thick and hairy. You swallowed it whole, for it was too tough to chew. Dinner was breakfast over again plus a hot meat, seal or reindeer, after the hide course. Supper consisted of cold blubber and cold hide served with seal oil. Don't wrinkle your nose and shudder. In that intense cold, the thermometer never above 40 degrees below zero, I liked that greasy food. You should have seen me munching away at great soft yellow balls of fat similar to duck fat."

Charmless Music.

The man had just reached home after a heavy day's work at the office and was resting himself in his easy chair for a few minutes before partaking of tea. Little Jim, his youngest son, had climbed upon the paternal knee and was relating to his father the events of the day. "And, oh, father," said the boy, "won't you show me your fiddle some day?"

"I have no fiddle, my boy," answered the fond parent.

"Oh, yes, you have, papa," returned the boy, "for I heard mamma telling Mrs. Strongwill this afternoon that ever since she married you you had played second fiddle!"

He Was Not a Dumpling.

Some years ago the lord chancellor of England was cross examining a shrewd bucolic witness.

"They sometimes call you a Devonshire dumpling, don't they?" asked the genial advocate.

"I believe they do," replied the witness.

"But you are not a Devonshire dumpling?"

The witness waited till the laughter occasioned by this inquiry subsided, then he slowly drawled out:

"Hey, but if I hod been a doompling you lawyers 'ud 'a' gobbled I up afore now!"

She Knew What She Was About.

The Husband—You suggested that we should begin and save money. I consented and gave up my cigars and beer, and now with the money saved you have gone and bought a new hat. The Wife (pleasantly)—That's all right. It was to get the hat that I suggested retrenchment and economy.—New York Press.

Sociology and Speculation.

A sociologist of genius who happened to care about money could probably make a fortune on the Stock Exchange where knowledge of humanity is the essential thing. Henrik Ibsen was one of the most successful speculators in Europe.—London Outlook.

Always Young.

He—Young girls always want to marry for love, but when they grow older they want to marry a man with money. She—You're wrong. They don't grow older. They merely grow wiser.—St. Joseph Press-News.

Everything moves on hinges, and tact is a good lubricator.—Manchester Union.

WAR ON MENNONITES

Pious Sect Loses Much Property by Incendiaris m

REASON IS UNKNOWN

Nine Barns Have Been Burned in Lancaster County During Past Year.

VICTIMS KEEPING A CLOSE WATCH

Lancaster, Pa., March 12.—There is consternation among the Mennonite farmers in this county over the burning Wednesday night of the large barn on the farm of Bishop Abram S. Herr, near West Willow, under circumstances which led to the belief that it was the work of an incendiary. This is the ninth fire in a little over a year on farms in the southern section of the county, all of the sufferers being members of the Mennonite church.

A coincident is the fact that five of the barns destroyed were the property of preachers of that denomination. It is said that letters have been in circulation in certain portions of the county in which threats are made that the properties of all Mennonites will be burned by the incendiary torch.

Within a radius of one mile in the vicinity of Strasburg, the barns of four Mennonites, all active in church work, were destroyed in a brief period.

It is estimated that the losses sustained in the entire conflagrations is considerably over $100,000. In nearly every fire there were circumstances which lead to the belief that the same person was at work. The victims are unable to account for this state of affairs, but an investigation has been begun in which it is asserted will lead to the detection of the guilty person.

It is said that the incendiary rides from place to place on horseback operating somewhat similar to the "night riders" in Kentucky.

The farmers are taking no chances with their property, and there are few of them in the county who are not guarding their places very closely.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Pennsy Absorbs the B. E. V.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, held at Philadelphia Tuesday, the absorption of three short-line connecting roads was formally made. One of these roads is the Bald Eagle, running from Tyrone to Lock Haven. First Vice President Green explained that of the three mergers that of the Bald Eagle Valley was important. The Pennsylvania for years had owned a controlling interest therein and had leased the road years ago under an old fashioned lease providing a yearly rental of eighty-five per cent of the gross earnings. This rental, he said, had become very onerous to the Pennsylvania as the business expanded and by reason of its importance both as a distributer for and a feeder to the main line of the Pennsylvania, it had been decided to secure the stock outstanding, mostly in the hands of estates. To accomplish this, he said, an arrangement was made whereby Bald Eagle stock was exchanged for Pennsylvania on the basis of three shares of Pennsylvania and a small cash bonus for one of Bald Eagle Valley, thus giving to the Pennsylvania absolute ownership of the road in all ways.

Thinks He has Egyptian Secret.

Undertaker J. P. Rose of Brownsville, Pa., believes he has discovered the secret of Egyptian mummy embalming, and crowds visit his establishment daily to gaze on a dead unknown, into whose body he has been injecting a secret preserving fluid daily for the past six weeks.

The man was killed by a train on January 20th. No one claimed the body, and the undertaker secured it, guaranteeing a decent burial when his experiments were finished.

In nearly 50 days that have passed since there has been no change in the appearance of the body, except that it has become almost white and as firm as marble. After a week the beard of the stranger grew to the length of about a quarter of an inch. A shave was regarded as necessary, and the undertaker sought for several days before he found a barber willing to undertake the job. Since then the mummy has been given a clean shave once a week.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

THE NECESSARY SNUB.

Bad Manners In Washington's High Social Set.

We remark a brief list of effective social snubs that have been administered in the nation's capital city. In one case the hostess thus addressed a girl who had failed to acknowledge an invitation: "I really did not expect to see you tonight, as you have never answered my notice of invitation, which I am aware you received." In another case the woman owner of an automobile who was going away was accosted by a friend with, "What shall I do without you this winter?" Her answer was, "Oh, I guess you'll walk!" In a third case a hostess frigidly greeted a man whom she had known abroad and then asked audibly, "Who is that person?" Several other cases were cited, in all but one of which a woman was the aggressor.

This list was headed "Bad Manners In Washington," but we are not sure that it was properly headed, for we recall similar lists bearing such captions as "Repartee of Our Society Leaders," "Well Merited Rebukes by the Queens of Society" and "Keeping the Bounder Within Bounds." These citations were made as evidences of the grand manner, as illustrations of the offensive and defensive armor one must wear in good society. Their crisp asperities were noted as contrasts to the vulgar and impossible good nature of such people as the old couple who thought that Botticelli was either a wine or a cheese and the Chicago packer who, after showing a visitor his shelves of books bound in calf, added confidently, "I killed them calves myself."

Now, it is good manners—good society manners—to jab one's acquaintances. It must be so, for it is chiefly the gentler sex that practices it. Without the snub there could be no law and order in the social hierarchy. In their business relations men can refuse to see each other at all or decline to keep an appointment when the party of the second part is late or cut each other's throat in the competitions of the street. But in the circle from which these illustrations have been drawn many highly objectionable people have right of entrance. The necessary business of trimming them gives the social game half its ardor.

A CANDLELIGHT TEA.

Guests Tell Incidents or Anecdotes of the Olden Times.

A young matron has invited twelve of her friends to a candlelight tea. Asking them to come prepared to tell some incident or anecdote of the olden times and, if possible, to wear some bit of old fashioned finery or jewelry tells the tale that her company is not to be a modern candlelight affair.

No light except the mellow glow of candles will be used—on the fireplace, in the hall, in sconces which grace the walls of the living room—candles everywhere. To lend another touch of old day charm the hostess has collected all of her little heirlooms and treasures, which she will proudly display on the spacious living room table, temporarily covered with a quaint bit of old flowered chenille. There will be interesting old samplers, bead purses, caned ivory shoe buckles, tortoise shell combs, fans, miniature silver bouquet holders, snuff-boxes, reticules, and so on.

In the dining room candles, standing in pewter, silver, brass and crystal sticks, will light up the liveliest of old fashioned tables. A ten cloth of homespun linen will cover a portion of the table, in the center of which will be an old silver bowl filled with mignonette and pink tulips. Silver baskets and trays holding tiny cakes and thin squares of buttered bread and dishes of small stuffed peppermint sticks will help to carry out the old time idea. The plate cards will be colored pictures taken from old magazines of different periods.

After the hostess, clad in a picturesque costume of her grandmothers, has served her guests tea in Dresden cups they will tell their little anecdotes of other days.

HOUSEWIFE HINTS.

Add a half cupful of milk to mush and it will brown much nicer when fried.

Whipped cream served on top of a freshly made squash pie adds much to its appearance and flavor.

A mixture of olive oil and black ink will be found useful to paint the tips of black kid gloves which are slightly worn.

The carving knife and fork should not be put into water. Hold them over the dishpan and rub with the wet dishcloth.

To remove a rusty screw first apply a very hot iron to the head for a short time; then immediately use the screwdriver.

Always save the water in which rice, macaroni or anything of a like nature has been boiled. It is excellent for soups, gravies, etc.

The best polish for engraved silver is whiting and ammonia. It should be applied with a soft brush, then rubbed with cheesecloth or soft cotton cloths.

A mail box fastened to the wall near the kitchen table is a most useful article. Meat bills, grocery bills, etc., that daily come into the house should be dropped into it at once. When pay day comes none will be missing.

A plumbing hint is never to put rock salt in traps. It is true that the salt, by absorbing moisture from the atmosphere, will keep the traps full of liquid, but the strong salt solution will attack brass couplings and trap screws and injure the glaze of porcelain.

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhœa and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS
Bears the Signature of
Chas. H. Fletcher.

The Kind You Have Always Bought
In Use For Over 30 Years.
THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Life In Christiania.

Many of the residences of Christiania stand villa-like in the midst of pretty gardens, which in summer are full of bloom and give the streets a peculiar charm and sense of openness. Within, the people live simple, wholesome lives, kindly and hospitable, with that truest hospitality which invites the guest to share in good cheer without ostentation or display. Dinner is at 3 or 4 o'clock, served by trim, fresh looking maids, and supper at 8, where, except on formal occasions, the guest is free to forage around the table for himself. Host and hostess drink the health of each guest with the word "skaal," replied to by the eyes over the glass after drinking. Adjourning to the drawing room, the guests thank both master and mistress of the house, and on the next meeting never fail to say, "Thanks for the last time." One is everywhere struck by the frank and unaffected simplicity of the life and the straightforward kindliness of the people.—H. H. D. Peirce in Atlantic.

A Little Retouching.

The wonders of photography are ever on the increase. Nevertheless there are still some limitations to the power and skill of even the most expert photographer. Mr. Hall is an amateur of no mean attainments, and when his old Aunt Hannah from Bushby came down to the city he secured a picture of her in her most characteristic pose—arms akimbo and mouth slightly open. When Aunt Hannah saw the first print she looked at it, held it off, drew it close again and then sat down to write her nephew:

Dear James—Yours with photograph taken during my late visit just received. In reply I would say I'm well enough pleased with it for myself and your folks. But in the one you send out to California to Emma I'd rather you'd straighten out my elbows and let my arms hang. Affectionately, AUNT HANNAH.

P. S.—Perhaps you'd better close my mouth a mite more, as Emma's husband is a stranger to me.

—Youth's Companion.

And "Everybody Laughed."

The following story was told by Ellen Thorneycroft Fowler in the London P. T. O.: "At a dinner party one evening after my marriage the conversation, which was general, took a literary turn, and a gentleman sitting next to me, who did not know the identity of Mrs. Felkin with Ellen Thorneycroft Fowler, began to descant on the way young authors spoil themselves with tricks. To emphasize his point he said, 'What can be more horrible than Miss Fowler's trick of saying "Everybody laughed?"' There was a dead pause. He evidently expected me to make a remark, for when I did not speak he turned and said: 'Oh, don't you know Miss Fowler's books? Haven't you read any of them?' 'I wrote them,' I replied, and then, indeed, 'everybody laughed.'"

A Mother's Sacrifice.

Legends in India run that if a woman stricken with leprosy suffers herself to be buried alive the disease will not descend to her children. There was in the northwest provinces of India the wife of a gardener on whom the loathsome malady had fallen. Children were born to her. The disease grew worse. She importuned her husband to bury her alive. He at last, yielding to her prayers, summoned his son. The two dug the grave, and four neighbors assisted at the sepulture. So the woman died. These facts were investigated in a magistrate's court and were proved.

Th eMarch American Magazine.

The American Magazine is taking up the presidential candidates in a big way.

The other day Secretary Taft told his champion managers to keep their hands off New York State. Rather than anger his enemies and split the state, he chose to take his chances and let Governor Hughes go to the convention with New York's 72 voter. Of course Taft is still in the running, and William Allen White will soon present a character sketch of him in the American Magazine. But how about Hughes? Everybody is inquiring. In the March number Ida M. Tarbell writes of Hughes. She makes the big lawyer clear to the reader. One can see how, before he came into the public eye (1905) he was preparing himself. The reader finds too, that the Governor has a mind that captivates the imagination—a mind that can take up a hard piece of new work and go through it as a steel drill goes through rock.

"Mr. Dooley's" article this month is on "Philosophers."

In the same number Ray Stannard Baker reports "The Negro's Struggle for Survival in the North," and Professor W. I. Thomas writes on "The Psychology of the Yellow Journal." Upton Sinclair reports fresh and startling facts about the extravagant life of the very rich in New York City, and Lincoln Steffens presents a character sketch of "U'ren the lawgiver, the legislative blacksmith of Oregon who is fashioning tools for democracy." "The Interpreter's Horse" and "The Pilgrim's Scrip" are full of good reading.

David Grayson, author of "Adventures in Contentment," writes an "Adventure in Fraternity." The story-tellers are: Marion Hill, Lucille Baldwin Van Slyke and John G. Neihardt.

An Industry Gone Forever.

In an editorial Thursday the Williamsport Gazette and Bulletin briefly reviewed one of the industries which was the principal factor in the building of the city, but which is now almost a thing of the past, and other industries have come to take its place. It said in part:

With the passing of the Susquehanna boom as one of the great industrial features of this city, many will give but passing thought to what the billions of feet of logs it held represented in the way of forest lands. During the more than half century of the boom's existance it held the trees that were cut from millions of acres of virgin forest. The figures are almost too vast for the average person to have more than a faint conception of their meaning. Suffice it to say that these billions of feet from millions of acres were stripped from many hundreds of square miles of territory.

All this timber was sawed in the mills of Williamsport, and what it represents in dollars and cents is a mathematical problem that would be difficult of solution. Thousands of men earned their living here for many years while this great industry was at its height. Is it any wonder then that Williamsport experiences a pang of sorrow over the passing of the great boom?

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

The Pilot.

Original.

When Ben Paddock shipped with me for an able seaman he was absolutely disabled and sailed simply to be saved from himself. Ben had been a decent fellow and had a wife and two little children, but drink captured him, rendering him of no use to them and only a burden to himself. Indeed, he was a burden to them also till he left them.

Once aboard and subject to discipline he slowly righted, like a ship after a squall, and his own real identity reasserted itself. Fortunately for him, we were off for a long voyage, and there was not a drop of liquor aboard ship except under my charge, and I never gave Ben a drop from the time we sailed till we got back to the port we had left three years before. I liked Ben Paddock and did everything I could to help him get rid of the habit that had ruined him. I persuaded him not to take shore leave when we made ports, and at such times I often stayed

THERE WAS SOMETHING UNCANNY ABOUT HIM.

aboard, keeping him company, that he should not get despondent and yield to temptation.

When Ben got back from the voyage he promised me he would observe certain rules I laid down for him to prevent a return of the thirst, then hurried to his wife and children, whom he never again left to the day of his death. He became a pilot for the port where he lived, and his services were in constant demand at good wages. He always declared that I had saved him and manifested unbounded gratitude.

Years passed. One December I was returning from a long voyage. I had promised my wife that if I made a successful trip I would sell my ship with the cargo and spend my old age with her at home. But all I possessed was in the ship and cargo. As I drew near port the wind began to blow a fierce gale from the east, and I feared that I would not be able to make an entry. If I could get in between the two tongues of land that formed the harbor's gateway I would be safe, but to do this I must have a pilot, and, even once entered, only a pilot could take the ship through the tortuous channel.

When I approached the harbor the wind was blowing right on shore. I looked about for a pilotboat, but saw only one, and it was scudding under jib and foretopsail to get in. I concluded to drop anchor and wait. In fact, it was all I could do, for I had approached too near to the shore. I had no confidence in being able to beat it in the teeth of the gale, and I feared the anchor wouldn't hold. It did not hold, and I soon saw that we were drifting ashore. It was growing dark, no succor was at hand, and within sight of the haven of rest I had so long worked for I must see the fruits of my labor lost, perhaps our lives.

The shore outline had been infolded in the gloom when suddenly I saw the head of a man over the gunwale on the port side. Then came his body. Then he jumped down on to the deck.

"Ben Paddock," I exclaimed, "where did you come from?"

He cast a glance at the jib fluttering in the wind and at the foretop. I yelled to the men to get up sufficient sail for steerage headway, and when the sails were up Ben was at the wheel. I ordered the anchor let go, and she came about head on to shore.

My fears allayed, I began to wonder how Ben had got aboard. I was sure no pilotboat was within miles of us or had been before the darkness fell. But, granting that one had neared us unnoticed, how could she have sent us a pilot over a sea in which no small boat could have lived? I was about to ask Ben for an explanation when I saw that we were about to make the entrance between the two tongues of land, and all his attention was concentrated on his work. My own attention, too, was directed to this hazardous entrance. Ben brought the ship around in a curve—a wonderful bit of steersmanship since the vessel was fairly flying—and just weathered the starboard point. For more than a mile from the points the land on both sides was low and the channel serpentine. There was full sweep for the wind, and the way was still dangerous. Indeed, I would not have believed that mortal man could keep the ship afloat. Ben stood calmly at the wheel, intent on his work, never uttering a sound, now whirling the wheel to port, now letting it fly to starboard. I began to stand in awe of one who could work such a wonder. I wanted to go and stand beside him, but somehow I couldn't do it. I made myself think that I feared to disconcert him in his critical work. This was not so. There was something uncanny about him that held me off.

At last we shot into the broad basin of the inner harbor. I called the men to lower an anchor—the one we had put out had been left on the bottom—and when I heard the chain rattle through the hawse pipes I turned to thank Ben for having saved us.

The wheel was deserted.

A light appeared on the water, and a boat approached. "How did you get in?" called a man in the bow.

"Ben Paddock—he piloted us."

"Ben Paddock! You're gone daft. He died a month ago."

Sticking to the Disagreeable Job.

It is the man who can stick to the disagreeable job, do it with energy and vim, the man who can force himself to do good work when he does not feel like doing it—in order words, the man who is master of himself, who has a great purpose and who holds himself to his aim, whether it is agreeable or disagreeable, whether he feels like it or does not feel like it—that wins.

It is easy to do what is agreeable, to keep at the thing we like and are enthusiastic about, but it takes real grit to try to put our whole soul into that which is distasteful and against which our nature protests, but which we are compelled to do for the sake of others who would suffer if we did not do it.

To go every morning with a stout heart and an elastic step, with courage and enthusiasm, to work which we are not fitted for and were not intended to do, work against which our very natures protest just because it is our duty, and to keep this up year in and year out require heroic qualities.—Success Magazine.

The Most Dangerous Fish.

The shark and the octopus are usually looked upon as the most dangerous among the denizens of the deep, but it appears that fishermen who frequent tropical waters have a much greater fear of the devilfish, the green moray and the swordfish. There seems to be unanimity of opinion that the shark and the octopus will not attack a boat, while the others which have been mentioned will. And, moreover, the attacks of the devilfish, the moray and the swordfish are a great deal more terrific than those of the shark and the octopus.

The devilfish is a large ray which infests the warm waters of the Atlantic. It attains a weight of a ton and a half, has horrible looking teeth and a barbed, poison holding spike in its tail which it uses with tremendous effect when it assails a party in a boat. The green moray is to be met with off the coast of Bermuda. It resembles a conger eel, but is green in color. The moray is reckoned the most savage inhabitant of any water.

The Year and the Calendar.

After Julius Caesar corrected the calendar the year was still 11 minutes 14 seconds too long, amounting to one day in 128 years. As the centuries passed the interval between the commencement of the year and the spring equinox grew less. It was not, however, until 1582 that anything was done about it. Then Pope Gregory XIII. set out to remedy the difficulty. This he did by directing the suppression of ten days outright. In order to provide for the future he ordered that all century years (1700, 1800, etc.) which would ordinarily be leap years should be common years unless they were multiples of 400. This arrangement, which still holds good, leaves only one day too much in 3,400 years. A French scientist has proposed dropping an additional day in the year 3,200 and repeating the process every 3,200 years. This would leave us short one day every 30,000 years, which may be considered correct enough for all practical purposes. At any rate, the matter is not pressing.—New York Post.

Had Showed Him the Right Way.

The colored boy was up in the children's court for the fifth time on charges of chicken stealing. This time the magistrate decided to appeal to the boy's father.

"Now, see here, Abe," said he to the old darky, "this boy of yours has been up in court so many times for stealing chickens that I'm sick of seeing him here."

"Ah don' blame you, sah," returned the father. "Ah's sick ob seein' 'im hyah too."

"Then why don't you teach him how to act? Show him the right way, and he won't be coming here."

"Ah has showed 'im de right way, sah," declared the old man earnestly. "Ah has suttenly showed 'im de right way, but he somehow keep gittin' caught comin' 'way wid dose chickens."—Woman's Home Companion.

Transvaal Terminations.

In perusing the names of South African towns in the daily newspapers many must have noted the word "fontein," which appears so often. This word is the English fountain, and towns with this termination have been named after Dutch farms, which are always built beside fountains of spring water. Thus Bloemfontein means "flowery fountain;" Modderfontein, "muddy fountain;" Kleinfontein, "small fountain," and Eilandsfontein, "deer fountain." Another town termination which English readers must have noticed is that of "laagte," which is pronounced "laughty." It means "shelter for animals," and hence when we talk of the battle of Elandslaagte we must know that it was fought on a spot frequented by deer.—London Globe.

Did He Refuse?

They were alone in the conservatory. He turned to her. His voice was low, but passionate.

"You know," he said, "why I have asked you to come here. Will you be my wife?"

She looked at him intently.

"No," she answered, and she uttered the monosyllable as if she loved it.

No doubt she expected him to reel and clutch at something, but he did nothing of the sort.

"Very well," he briskly said. "That's all I want to know. Shall we go in and finish our dance?"

She stared at him in wonder.

"Are—aren't you hurt by my refusal? Don't you intend to do something desperate?"

"Desperate? Certainly not—unless you call tackling the lobster salad desperate."

Her pride was sorely wounded. She had meant to hurt him. It would have been a proof of her power. Now she hungered for revenge. There was only one way to get even with him.

"George," she said, "I have reconsidered my decision. I will be your wife."

And the two scrawny rubber plants and the three yellow palms quivered with suppressed laughter.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Lace Dressers.

Lace dressing has been considered a necessarily unhealthful occupation on account of the intense heat required to be maintained in the room. In some cases the temperature exceeds 100 degrees F. and much moisture is evaporated from the wet fabric. The evidence brought forth at a recent investigation in England, however, shows it to be an exceedingly healthful pursuit. New workers are often temporarily upset at the beginning by the high temperature, but no cases could be found where health had broken down. On the contrary, some ailments—colds, for instance—were found less prevalent among lace dressers than among the workers in other branches of the industry. Time keepers' books showed few absences from illness. No special tendency toward lung diseases could be found, notwithstanding that most of the workers lived in poor and insanitary localities and led irregular lives. Many lace dressers now enjoy vigorous old age after doing this work from childhood.—Indianapolis News.

The Deaf and Dumb.

In early times it was an opinion, maintained even by philosophers, that the education of the deaf and dumb was impossible. It was then believed that language could be acquired only through the medium of the ear, as shown by the couplet of Lucretius:

To instruct the deaf no art could ever reach,
No care improve them and no wisdom teach.

The first mention of instruction for the deaf and dumb is found in Bede, A. D. 685. No other case is met with for some centuries. Rudolfus Agricola of Heidelberg makes mention of an educated deaf mute in his "Dialectica," 1480. It was not until 1620 that instruction for the deaf and dumb began to be general.—New York American.

Frederick the Great.

Frederick William I., father of Frederick the Great, was a most brutal old fellow, treating his son almost as badly as they treat the exiles in Siberia. Unable to endure such barbarity on the part of his father, Frederick resolved to run away and seek refuge at the court of his uncle, George II. of England. Ready to assist him in his attempt were his two young friends, Lieutenants Katte and Keith. By the imprudence of Katte the secret was found out, and Frederick was placed under arrest. Keith escaped, but Katte was tried by court martial, sentenced to death and executed. Frederick also was sentenced to death and would have been shot but for the earnest expostulations of the kings of Sweden and Poland.

A Powerful Combination.

Tim was a protege of Mr. Blank, a well known Boston lawyer. He was often in trouble, but by personal influence with the courts Mr. Blank managed to have him let down easy, so it became a matter of talk, the Green Bag says, that he did not suffer greatly in being arrested.

"How is it, Tim," some one asked one day, "that you are arrested very often, but never go to jail or pay any fines?"

"It's just this way," Tim replied. "I have Mr. Blank for me lawyer, and what he doesn't know about the law I tells him."

Didn't Want to Be Left.

Miss Vere—Mr. Desmond, why did you go to the dining doom before you greeted the hostess? Mr. Desmond—Well, the hostess will keep, but the refreshments seemed to be getting away.—London Telegraph.

Water.

"Water," said the scientific person. "is H'O."

"Yes," answered Dustin Stax as he laid aside the market report, "some of it is and a great deal of it I. O. U."—Washington Star.

Easy Answer.

Spriggins—I can always tell when I am at my office whether it is a bill collector or a client that touches my electric bell. Higgins—You can? Spriggins—Yes; no clients ever come.—Somerville Journal.

The Tattlers.

Billings—A man never learns to really know his wife until after they are married, no matter how long they may have been engaged. Darrow—You're wrong there. Sometimes the girls have little brothers.

Agriculture Taught In School.

The Jersey Shore Herald says that the Limestone township High school at Oval was visited by the state inspector, Prof. C. D. Koch, of Philipsburg one day last week, who was much pleased with the work being done by this school and was emphatic in his praise when he discovered that the curriculum contained a course in agriculture. He stated that this was the only high school in the state where agriculture was taught. The senior class has been studying the conditions of soil and other things pertaining to farming during the term. The school now has a two years's course, but there is a strong sentiment among the directors favoring a three year's course, and such a change in all probability will be made next term. The first class will be graduated at the close of the school term in April.

—Sickening headaches, indigestion, constipation, indicate unhealthy condition of the bowels. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes the bowels work naturally and restores your system to perfect health and happiness. 35c. Tea or Tablets. C. M. Parrish.

Deafness Cannot be Cured.

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Rings Litt'e Liver Pills for biliousness and sick-headache They clean the system and clear the skin. Price 25c. Try them. Sold by Krumrines.

A Life At Stake

Your life may be at stake when you notice any sign of kidney or bladder trouble as Bright's disease and diabetes start with a slight irregularity that could be quickly cured by Foley's Kidney Remedy. Commence taking it at the first sign of danger. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

ManZan Pile Remedy, Price 50c is guaranteed Put up ready to use. One application prompt relief to any form of Piles. Soothes and heals. Sold by Krumrines.

It is very important and in fact it is absolutely necessary to health that we give relief to the stomach promtly at the first signs of trouble which are belching of gas, nausea, sour stomach, headache irritability and nervousness These are warnings that the stomach has been mistreated; it is doing too much work and it is demanding help from you. Take something once in a while; especially after meals; something like KODOL For Dyspepsia and Indigestion. It will enable your stomach to do its work properly. Sold by Green's Pharmacy.

Here comes the Spring Winds to chap and freckle. Use Pinesalve Carbolized. Acts like a poultice for cuts, sores burns, chapped lips, hands and face It soothes and heals. Sold by Krumrines.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, uric acid, catarrh of the bladder and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work and in private practice, and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper, who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root, and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles are sold by all good druggists. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

Home of Swamp-Root.

For Over Sixty Years.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cure wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by all druggists in every part of the world Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" and take on other kind.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

for children; safe, sure. No opiates

For sale by C M Parrish.

A Card

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. Cures la grippe coughs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuine is in a yellow package Refuse substitute sold by C. M. Parrish.

KODOL For Dyspepsia and Indigestion is the result of a scientific combination of natural digestants with vegetable acids and contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. It is the best remedy known today for dyspepsia indigestion and all troubles arising from a disordered stomach. Take KODOL today. It is pleasant, prompt and thorough sold by Green's Pharmacy.

$100.00 paid by Dr. Shoop for any recent case of Grippe or acute Cold that a 25 cent box of Preventics will not break. How is this for an offer? The Doctor's supreme confidence in these little Candy Cold Cure Tablets—Preventics—is certainly complete. It's a $100, against 25 cents—pretty big odds. And Preventics remember, contain no quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh nor sickening. Pneumonia would never appear if early colds were always broken. Safe and sure for feverish children. 48 Preventics 25c. Sold by Green's Pharmacy.

ManZan Reaches the spot. Stops pain. The Great Pile Remedy. Put up in tubes with rectal nozzle, 50 cents.

For Sale By Krumrines Drug Store.

ManZan Pile Remedy comes ready to use, put up in a collapsible tube with nozzle attached. One application proves its merit. Soothes and heals, reduces inflammation and relieves soreness and itching. For all forms of Piles. Price 50c. Guaranteed. Sold by Krumrines.

"Had dyspepsia or indigestion for years. No appetite, and what I did eat distressed me terribly, Burdock Blood Bitters cured me."—J. H. Walker, Sunbury, Ohio.

Rings Dyspepsia Tablets

RELIEVE INDIGESTION AND STOMACH TROUBLES

For Sale By Krumrines Drug Store.

Tickling or dry coughs will quickly loosen when using Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. And it is so thoroughly harmless that Dr. Shoop tells mothers to use nothing else, even for very your babies. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountainous shrub give the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. It calms the cough, and heals the sensitive bronchial membranes. No opium, no chloroform, nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Demand Dr. Shoop's. Take no other. Sold by Green's Pharmacy.

When a man writes as follows don't you think he means it? Mr. S. G. Williams, Powderly, Texas, says, "I have suffered for years with Kidney and Bladder trouble, using every preparation I came across and taking many prescriptions all without relief until my attention was called to Pineules. After 30 days' trial ($1.00). I am feeling fine. Money refunded if not satisfied. Sold by Krumrines

Thousands Perish.

Thousands perish every year from consumption resulting from a cold. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate racking coughs coughs and expels the cold from your system and prevents consumption pneumonia. It has cured many cases of incipient consumption. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

30 Days Trial $1.00 is the offer on Pineules, Relieve Backache, Weak Back Lame Back, Rheumatic pains. Best on Sale for Kidneys, Bladder and Blood. Goodfor young or old. Satisfaction Guaranteed or money refunded. Sold by Krumrines.

The Main Thing About Fire Insurance...

Is carrying a sufficient amount to really protect your property—for after a fire one can only accept the result

Better see to it that you are fully insured and in a company celebrated for prompt payment of losses; a good reliable company the only kind represented by us.

Also represent The Preferred Accident Insurance Company of New York, who issue $5,000 Travel Policy at $12.00 per year

Harry E. Fenlon,

Office in Temple Court, Bellefonte, Pa.

Real Estate Bought and Sold.
RENTS COLLECTED

BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD—On and after Monday, May 29th, 1905 trains will run as follows from P. R. R. station

WESTWARD.					EASTWARD.		
1* A.com.	3* Exp.	5* Mail			2* Mail.	4* Exp.	6 A.com
A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	Lv.	Ar.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
6 30	10 15	2 50	Bellefonte		8 50	12 50	6 35
6 35	10 20	3 07	Coleville		8 43	12 40	6 10
f6 38	10 23	3 12	Morris		f8 37	f12 37	6 07
f6 43	f10 27	3 17	Stevens		f8 32	f12 35	6 03
			Lime Centre				
f6 46	f10 30	3 21	Hun'rs Park		f8 31	12 31	6 00
f6 50	f10 34	3 28	Fillmore		f8 28	f12 28	5 55
f6 56	f10 40	3 32	Brarly		f8 24	f12 24	5 50
7 00	10 45	3 35	Waddles		8 20	12 20	5 45
f7 12	f10 57	3 50	Krumrine		f8 07	f12 07	5 27
7 25	11 10	4 05	State College		8 00	12 00	5 20
f7 27		4 10	Strubles		f7 45		4 30
f7 31		4 15	Bloomsdorf		f7 40		4 25
7 35		4 20	P. G. Mills		7 35		4

Morning trains from Montandon, Lewisburg, Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 5 and 6 for State College. Afternoon trains from Montandon Lewisburg, Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No 5 for State College. Trains from State College connect with Penna R R trains at Bellefonte at points east and west.

*Stop on flag
†Daily except Sunday

W. H. THOMAS, Supt

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA.
Condensed Time Table.

READ DOWN.					June 17 1907.		READ UP	
No.	No.	No. 3					No. 6	No. 4
a m	p m	p m	p m	LV	AR	p m	p m	p m
†7 05	†6 55	†2 20		Bellefonte	9 40	5 05	9 40	
7 15	7 05	2 42		Milesburg	9 27	4 52	9 27	
7 20	7 11	2 57		Curtin	9 21	4 47	9 21	
7 27	7 18	2 45		Howard Park	9 15	4 41	9 15	
7 29		2 47		Howard	9 13	4 39	9 13	
7 33	†7 23	2 51		Eagle Furnace	†9 09	4 34	9 09	
7 37	7 25	2 55		Beech Creek	9 06	4 29	9 05	
7 40	†7 30	2 58		Monument	†9 04	4 27	9 02	
7 42	†7 33	3 01		Hunter	†9 02	4 24	9 00	
7 46	7 38	3 05		Lamar	†8 59	4 21	8 57	
7 48	†7 40	3 08		Chatomdale	†8 56	4 18	8 54	
7 52	7 44	3 12		Krider's Siding	8 52	4 14	8 51	
8 56	7 49	3 16		Mackeyville	†8 48	4 09	8 46	
8 02	7 54	3 22		Cedar Springs	8 42	4 03	8 40	
8 05	7 57	3 25		Salona	8 40	4 01	8 38	
8 10	8 02	3 30		Mill Hall	†8 35	†3 56	†8 33	

		(NEW YORK CENT				
11 40	8 53		Jersey Shore		3 09	7 5
13 15	10 30	Arr	WM'PORT	Lve	2 35	†7 20
13 29	11 30	Lve	WM'PORT	Arr	2 30	6 50
		(PHILA AND READING RY)				
7 30	6 50		PHILA		†2 35	11 30
10 20	9 00		NEW YORK (Via Phila)		†4 50	2 00
p.m		Ar		Lv.	a.m	p.m

†Week Days.

W. H. GEPHART,
Gen. Superintendent

If you would like to fool some wise Coffee Critic, who "knows fine Coffee on taste and flavor", quietly make for him a batch of Dr. Shoop's "Health Coffee" and serve it piping hot. It deceived Mrs. Shoop, and will believe deceive any one. And there is not a grain of real Coffee in it. Health Coffee is made from pure toasted grains, malt, nuts etc. Made in a Minute—no 20 to 30 minutes tedious boiling. 1½ pounds 25c. Sold by Green's Pharmacy.

"Here's to your health and happiness" DeWitt's Little Early Risers—famous little pill. Nasty, sick headache or biliousness may come on any time; the cure is an Early Riser. Sold by Green's Pharmacy

Lax-ets 5c Sweet to Eat
A Candy Bowel Laxative
GREEN'S PHARMACY CO.

Foley's Orino Laxative is sold under a positive guarantee to cure constipation, sick headache trouble, or any form of indigestion. If it fails, the manufacturers refund your money. What more can any one do. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

—Impure blood runs you down—makes you an easy victim for organic diseases; Burdock Blood Bitters purifies the blood—cures the cause—builds you up.

Mr. Wm. H. Anderson, M. D., of Soda Springs, Ida., says that Bees Laxative Cough Syrup has relieved coughs and colds where all other remedies failed. Its gentle laxative effects especially recommended it for children. It is pleasant to take. For coughs, colds, hoarseness whooping-cough. Money refunded if not satisfied. Sold by Krumrines.

How Cough Germs Multiply

When you have a cold the mucous membrane is inflamed and the disease germs which you breathe find lodgement and multiply, especially the pneumonia germ. Foley's Honey and Tar soothes and heals the inflamed air passage, stops the cough and expels the cold from your system. Refuse substitutes. C. M. Parrish.

All the Gold IN GEORGIA Could not Buy-

Roding, Ga. August 27, 1906.

Messrs. E. C. DeWitt & Co.,
Chicago, Ills.

Gentlemen:—
In 1897 I had a disease of the stomach and bowels. Some physicians told me it was Dyspepsia, some Consumption of the Lungs, others said consumption of the Bowels. One physician said I would not live until Spring, and for four long years I existed on a little boiled milk, soda biscuits, doctors' prescriptions and Dyspepsia remedies that flooded the market. I could not digest anything I ate, and in the Spring 1902 I picked up one of your Almanacs as a poor emaciated Dyspepsia wreck will grasp at anything, and that Almanac happened to be my life saver. I bought a fifty cent bottle of KODOL DYSPEPSIA CURE and the benefit I received from that bottle ALL THE GOLD IN GEORGIA COULD NOT BUY. I kept on taking it and in two months I went back to my work, as a machinist, and in three months I was well and hearty. I still use a little occasionally as I find it a fine blood purifier and a good tonic.

May you live long and prosper.

Yours very truly,
C. N. CORNELL.

CONFORMS TO NATIONAL PURE FOOD AND DRUG LAW

This is only a sample of the great good that is daily done everywhere by

Kodol for Dyspepsia.

GREEN'S PHARMACY CO.

The Bellefonte Republican.

The Best Advertising Medium In Central Pennsylvania.

	3m	6m	1y
One inch (12 lines this type)	$ 5	$ 8	12
Two inches	7	10	15
Three inches	10	15	20
Four inches	11	17	25
Quarter column	12	20	30
Half column	20	35	55
One column	35	55	100

All advertisements, whether displayed or blank lines, measured by lines of this type.

All advertisements due after the first insertion.

Special notices inserted in our local columns at 20 cents per line for each insertion unless otherwise agreed, by the month, quarter or year.

Editorial notices, in our local columns, 25 cents per line for each insertion.

Professional or Business Cards, not exceeding 10 lines this type, $8 per annum.

All advertisements for a less term than three months 20 cents per line for the first three insertions, and 5 cents per line for each additional insertion.

Advertisers, and especially Advertising Agents, are respectfully informed that no notice will be taken of orders to insert advertisements at less rates than the above, nor will any notice be given to orders of parties unknown to the publisher, unless accompanied by the cash.

CARLE C. TUTEN.

Announcements.

LEGISLATURE.

We are authorized to announce the name of Charles E. Fisher of Harris township, a Republican candidate for the legislature, subject to the decision of the Republican voters of Centre county at the Primary Election April 11, 1908.

LEGISLATURE.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. B. Taylor, of Bellefonte boro, as a candidate for the legislature subject to the decision of the Republican voters of Centre County.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,

We are authorized to announce the name of H. E. Zimmerman, of Benner township, as a Republican candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican voters of Centre County at the Primary Election to be held Saturday, April 11, 1908. Rep-tf.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the name of William E. Hurley, of Philipsburg boro, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the Primary election April 11, 1908.

REGISTER.

We are authorized to announce the name of Earl C. Tuten as a candidate for Register of Wills, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the Primary election, April 11, 1908.

FOR RECORDER OF DEEDS.

State College, Pa., Jan. 21, 1908.

Editor Republican:

Please announce in the Bellefonte Republican my name as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Recorder subject to the rules governing the Republican party.

Very Truly Yours,
JOHN L. HOLMES.

FOR CONGRESS,

We are authorized to announce the name of Capt. Charles F. Barclay, of Cameron Co., as a candidate for Congress, subject to the action of the Republican primaries in the 21st Congressional district. Rep-tf.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Please announce my name as a candidate for nomination for County Commissioner subject to Republican rules. Jacob Woodring,
Port Matilda, Pa.

LEGISLATURE.

Editor:—

Will you kindly announce my name as a Candidate for Assembly, subject to the action of the Republican Primaries of Centre County, and oblige,

Wm. L. FOSTER,
State College, Pa.,

FOR ASSEMBLY

Subject to action of Republicans of Centre County at Primary Election, Saturday, April 11th, 1908.

If elected I will favor any measure giving to the people the constitutional right of expression on my fundamental question especially such as may be advocated by the Anti Saloon League. W. H. EVEY, Bellefonte.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce the name of G. G. Fink, of Huston township, as a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Treasurer subject to the Republican voters at the Primaries April 11, 1908.

FOR RECORDER.

We are authorized to announce the name of William H. Brown, of Bellefonte, as a candidate for Recorder of Centre County, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the Primary election, April 11, 1908.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE.

We are authorized to announce the name of Theodore P. Kynder, of Milesburg boro, as a candidate for the legislature subject to the action of the Republican voters at the Primary election April 11, 1908.

EDITORIAL.

THE gentlemen who have organized the big religious revival in Philadelphia knew where to begin.

THIS will be about the last season for the Williamsport log boom but political booms will continue year in and year out.

THE arrival of the American fleet in Magdalena bay in good condition has convinced Europe that the United States has a real navy.

IT appears that if candidates for Legislature want to cut any ice in the coming campaign they will have to assert where they stand on the local option question.

THE bishop of Buffalo has urged he spinisters of his diocese to pray for suitable husbands. And this is leap year, too. Perhaps they will get them.

YOUNG Mrs. Thaw's action for the annulment of her marriage will neccessarily keep alive her case for another period, but it is welmed as a promising preliminary tan utimate end.

CHEER up. It is reported that there is going to be a drop in the price of diamends.

A man has just married a woman whom he saved from drowning twenty-five years ago. Apparently there is no escape.

PRESSING needs cannot wait. Notwithstanding the uncertainties of the presidential year it seems that business is going to boom.

ONE thousand dollars fine is not much for those who made so much out of the capitol but the prospects of two years imprisonment is enough to cast a gloom over their prosperity.

THE dog poisoner is at work in Williamsport and quite a few valuable canies have met death at his hands. If this brute can be apprehended he should be punished to the full extent of the law.

THE Democratic State Central committee of Minnesota has declared for Governor Johnson as their presidential candidate by an overwhelming majority. It is expected that Governor Johnson will announce his candidacy this week and that the Minnesota Democrats will vote for their favorite son.

The Cruise of the Battleships.

The fleet of battleships has performed its long cruise around the continent of South America inside the scheduled time. There have been no mishaps or delays upon the route, and the great vessels are reported in the best condition. Naval authorities are not agreed whether the practical value of so prolonged a "practical cruise" is proportionate to its great expense, but of its sentimental value there cannot be any doubt. Even if the same tests of efficiency could have been made more economically by separate cruises of only ordinary duration, and if officers and men could have learned the same lessons with less sacrafice of useful exercise, the usual summer practice of detatched vessels or squadrons could never excite the popular interest in the navy that has been established by this long voyage.

The case and certainly with which the fleet has been transferred from the Atlantic to the Pacific, in a measured period of three months, should do something to quiet the apprehension of the timid. It is quite true that a war might be begun and ended within that tme, and tnat the Atlantic coast might be invaded before the battleships could get back. But neither this country nor the world of large is thinking of such a contingency at this time, and there never has been any sincerity in the objections to leaving the Atlantic "defenseless." The cruise was not only justiable in a military sense. It was an almost necessary step in the development, harmonization and unification of the fleet, and its successful completion must add immeasurably both to the general efficiency of the navy and to the public appreciation of the conditions on which such efficiency depends.

Billboard Problem May Solve Itself.

With all due respect to the several civic improvement organizations at work throughout the country for the elimination of the billboard, the greatest results are to be anticipated from a new factor in the campaign—namely, the discovery on the part of several big advertising concerns, after careful and costly tests, that the billboard advertisement isn't to be compared with newspaper space of equal cost as a means of reaching the buying public.

After an experiment in billboard advertising which continued five or six years, the American Tobacco Company has returned to newspaper advertising. This company which devoted most of its billboard space to advertising certain smoking tobaccos, spent $1,250,000 a year upon the billboards, which amount will be spent hereafter in newspapers and magazines. No company knows better the worth of advertising, and no company is doing it more judiciously.

A few more experiences of this sort ought to settle the vexed problem of the billboard.

The Victory of Justice

In accepting the nomination for his present office, Gov. Stuart announced his firm determination, if elected, to sift to the bottom the charges of fraud in the furnishing of the new state capitol and if culpability was shown to bring the offenders to justice. The people believed in Mr. Stuart's sincerity, and fully trusted him to ferret out the wrong doing it such there was.

Friday night's verdict of guilty in the case of John H. Sanderson, W. P. Snyder, W. L. Mathues and James M. Shumaker, accused of conspiracy to defraud the state, is sufficient notice to the world that official wrongdoing in Pennsylvania is not countenanced by the people nor will it be defended by the Republican party. After the busy rumor-mongering of the past two years, the swarm of malicious untruths put into circulation by disgruntled and defeated persons for political effect, the Harrisburg verdict will cause a general feeling of relief throughout the commonwealth. The people of Pennsylvania now realize that their confidence in the administration was not misplaced and that Gov. Stuart and his associates in the state government have completely fulfilled their earnest pledges.

This verdict cannot directly help the State to recover the immense sums lost in the management of one of the greatest contracts the liberality of the people has ever authorized. Part of the amounts may, through civil proceedings, be put back where the money belonlgs. In any case, the reputation of the State has been enchanced by the thorough prosecution, fair trial and honest verdict. The State's interests, moral and material, had been outraged, and they have been vindicated. No citizen desires to persecute the convicted men, but every good man rejoices that he can preserve his faith in the honor and justice of Pennsylvania.

The defendants in this case enjoyed the services of able and distinguished counsel, while the representatives of the state performed their difficult task with vigor and tact. The issues in the final analysis were not unusually beclouded with technicalities and the jury was enabled to render its decision without wearisome delay. The silencing of the administration's traducers and the slanderers of the commonwealth is not the least gratifying feature of the verdict in these cases.

Class in Telegraphy.

Secretary Meserve of the Bellefonte Y. M. C. A. is planning for the adoption of a novel feature to be installed soon. It is the establishing of a complete telegraphic service in the building. There will be five telegraph stations located in different parts of the building and connected so that each one will be in connection with the others. It is expected that there will ten members in the class about to be organized and they will be instructed in forwarding messages to other stations and in receiving messages from them in return. In fact it will be a complete telegraphic school and it is the intention to give the students who enter the class a complete course in the art. The class in electricity recently organized has proven to be quite interesting and it is thought that this feature will prove to be even more popular among the boys.

Long and Faithful Service.

J. F. Sausaman, who has rounded out eighteen years of faithful services as an engineer on the Bald Eagle Valley was transferred on Tuesday to the C. & C. local on the mountain. Mr. Sousaman is one of the old reliable engineers who is always found at his post of duty. His service in the past eighteen years has been of such a nature, that the company realize him to be one of the best engineers on the road. Mr. Sausaman made his initial run on the B. E. V. July 1st, 1890. He was the first to take a class "R" engine, which was number 455, over the valley. This was on July 7th 1891. He ran the first class "R" engine into Bellefonte on September 2nd 1892. The number of this engine was 310.

During those days these large locomotives were quite a sight and people would flock around the station and along the tracks to watch Sausaman and his big machine go by.—Tyrone Times.

—Edward K. Rhoads has added a high grade Cannel Coal to his stocks of various coals for domestic use. 2-3-tf.

MRS. MARY MEYER.

MRS. MARY MEYER, Thomson Avenue, near Shell Road, Winfield, L. I., N. Y., writes:

"I have been annoyed with a cough for years. Often it was so bad that I could not sleep half the night. Many people thought I had consumption.

Consumption Was Feared.

"A woman recommended Peruna to me two years ago. I began to take Peruna, and now I am perfectly free from a cough. I am glad to say that Peruna cured me entirely.

"I take Peruna occasionally, when I do not feel well, and I also give it to my children.

"Peruna is the best medicine for coughs and colds. I have told many people how much Peruna has helped me."

Mrs. Hettie Green, R. R. No. 6, Iuka, Ill., writes as follows of the efficacy of Peruna:

"Last November I had catarrh and felt so miserable I thought that I would go into consumption.

"I tried so many doctors and medicines, but nothing did me any good, only Peruna.

"After I began the use of Peruna I began to improve in every way. My head did not hurt so much, my stomach is all right, my bowels are regular, my appetite good, my complexion clear, my eyes are bright and am gaining in flesh and strength.

"I think Peruna has no equal as a catarrh remedy."

Peruna tends to lessen the cough, decreases the expectoration, strengthens the patient, increases the appetite and in many cases procures sound, refreshing sleep.

MISS BEULAH B. BROOME.

Miss Beulah B. Broome, 409 12th St., N. E., Washington, D. C., writes:

"I have suffered from *weak lungs* and catarrhal troubles for four years, brought on by many neglected colds, but on the recommendation of a friend I gave Peruna an honest trial and I am pleased to state that it *restored me to perfect health.* There is not the slightest trace of catarrh in my system and my lungs are perfectly sound.

Weak Lungs For Years.

"I unhesitatingly give this testimonial."

Mrs. William Hohmann, 569 N. Paulina St., Chicago, Ill., writes:

"I suffered with catarrh of the bronchial tubes and had a terrible cough ever since a child. After a while it got so bad I had to cough both winter and summer. Finally, I burst a blood vessel in my throat from the strain of coughing, next a blood vessel in my stomach, so I kept getting worse and doctoring, and even then could get no relief. I thought, and everybody else, that I had consumption.

"Reading the papers about Peruna I decided to try it, without the least bit of hope that it would do me any good. But after taking three bottles I noticed a change. My appetite got better, so I kept on, never got discouraged.

"Finally I seemed not to cough so much, and the pains in my chest got better. I am well now. I cannot tell you how grateful I am, and I cannot thank Peruna enough. It has cured where doctors have failed. People who think they have consumption better give it a trial."

MISS JOSIE SCHAETZEL.

Miss Josie Schaetzel, General Delivery, Appleton, Wisconsin, writes:

"I contracted a severe cold which settled on my lungs in very short order, and it was not long until it developed into a serious case of catarrh. Every morning I would raise a *lot of phlegm,* which was very disagreeable. My digestion was poor and my *lungs sore.*

"After a few doses of Peruna I began to mend, and felt that if I kept on taking it it would not be long until I would be well. I was right, for in four weeks I was *well again.*

Consumption Prevented.

"I think Peruna is a grand medicine, and wish to add my testimony to the many others you have."

The fight against consumption is becoming a national problem.

Everywhere we hear of sanitariums established at the expense of the state for the treatment of the vast army of consumptives.

The open air treatment, fresh air and sunlight, are recognized by the medical profession generally as being the greatest necessities in the treatment of consumption in all its stages.

Dr. Hartman has for many years advocated the fresh air treatment for consumption. At the same time he has recognized Peruna as a useful palliative for the many distressing symptoms which accompany the white plague.

The promptness with which Peruna relieves a fresh cold, and even removes chronic colds, is well-known. This ranks Peruna as a reliable prophylactic against consumption.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were issued during the past week by Recorder John C. Rowe.

S. R. McCaffrey, et ux, to Joseph Ceprish, Feb. 14, 1908, 1 a, in Snow Shoe twp; consideration $810.

S. Jane Musser, to Frank W. Whiting March 7, 1908, premises, in Spring twp; consideration $2000.

John Graden, et ux, to Mary A. Smith, June 29, 1907, lot, in Howard boro; consideration $1.00.

H. S. Taylor, sheriff, to F. W. Crider, May 1, 1905, two lots, in Boggs twp, consideration $820,

F. W. Crider, et ux, to John Peace, Aug. 26, 1907, two lots, in Bogge twp; consideration $1150.

Mary A. Smith, et al, to Sean Graden Jan. 27, 1907, lot, Howard boro; consideration $1.00.

A. P. Luse, et ux, to John W. Neese, April, 7, 1906, lot, in Centre Hall, consideration $150.

Mary A. Smith, et al, to Susan Graden, June 29, 1907, lot, in Howard boro; consideration $1.00.

W. Clayton Dock, et ux, to David H. Moyer, March, 1908, house and lot, in Spring twp; consideration $111.

M. S. Betz, et ux, to W. W. Orndorff, March 14, 1908, house and lot, in Jacksonville; consideration $610.

Israel Yearick, et ux, to Edwin L. Yearick, March, 16, 1908. 50 a, 17 p, in Walker twp; consideration $2000.

—Remember it costs you only one cent to cast a vote for the most popular business man in Bellefonte. Proceeds for the Academy athletic field. Contest opens Saturday and ballot boxes will be placed at The Index and Bush's.

A Leap Year Dance.

A very successful leap year dance was held by Miss Eva Crissman in her dancing hall in the Bush Arcade on Tuesday evening Mar. 17th in honor of St. Patrick's day. It was a complete turn around the men were the wall flowers and could say no or yes as gracefully as the ladies who this time footed the bills. All the ladies looked very pretty as usual most all being dressed in white with green decorations in some form or other. About forty couples moved around to the merry strains of Christy's Orchestra from 8:30 to 12, a programme of twenty dances and four extras, and the affair was voted a great success and is to be hoped more will be held in the future.

A College On Wheels.

The Pennsylvania Railroad company has entered the educational field of late; and some novel experiments are now in contemplation. One of the latest moves is a "College on Wheels" which is to be given a trial trip through a part of Ohio, starting next Friday. The object is to revive interest in the growing of corn and alfalfa, and the farmers at the points visited will be invited to visit the special train and receive instructions.

On arriving at the different stops, the class room cars will be thrown open and 40 minute illustrated talks will be made. For the benefit of the overflow meetings, charts will be hung outside of the cars, that all of the farmers may have the benefit of these instructions. Grain men and representatives of the newspapers will meet the train along the route, that the most improved methods of preserving selecting and cultivating seed corn and alfalfa may be given the widest publicity.

The "Farmers Corn and Alfalfa" Special will be made up of a number of cars made into class rooms, as well as a car for the accommodation of the instructors, and a baggage car for the paraphernalia to be used in the lecture.

The College of Agriculture, the State Experimental Station and the State Farmers' Institute will be represented on the special. The railroad company will be represented by several officials.

Added interest is given to the movement from the fact that there is nothing to sell or advertise.

Schedule Announced.

The Pennsylvania State College base ball team has announced the following schedule for the coming season:

April 11, Carnegie Tech., at State;
" 15, Altoona Tri-State, at Altoona;
" 16, Wmsport Tri-State, at Wmpt;
" 17-18, U. of V., at Charlottville, Va;
" 20, Mercersburg at Mercersburg;
" 21, Indiana at Carlisle;
" 22, Dickinson, at Carlisle;
" 25, Susquehanna at State;
" 27, Syracuse, at Syracuse;
" 28, Rochester, at Rochester;
" 29, Cornell, at Ithaca,
May 2, Bucknell at State,
" 5, Grove City at State;
" 8, Dickinson, at State;
" 15, W. U. P. at Pittsburg;
" 16, Carnegie Tech, at Pittsburg;
" 19, Villanova, at State;
" 23, Bucknell, at Lewisburg;
" 29, Villanova, at Villanova;
" 30, Lafayette, at Easton;
June 13, W. U. P., at State.

Prizes For Good Roads

Lycoming county will doubtless have many miles good roads before long. At a meeting of the supervisors held in Williamsport Saturday, P. B. Shaw, in behalf of the Goods Roads Association, made public the method of the distribution of one thousand dollars in prizes to the supervisors of the county. There are nine prizes in all, ranking from $45 to $300.

The largest prize is $300 which will be given to the board of supervisors of any township in the county who shall show the greatest improvement in the main traveled roads of their township during the present season. Prizes of $150 and $75 will be given to the boards which show the second and third greatest improvements in their respective townships.

A prize of $150 will be paid to the board of supervisors of any township in the county who enter into the competition under the above class for the best three miles of continuous or consecutive road made by the use of the King split log drag. A second and a third prize will be given for the second and third best three miles of road made by use of the King split road drag.

It is the intention of the association to create a widespread interest throughout the county for good roads and to bring into greater use the King split log drag. It is claimed that this is one of the most satisfactory methods of making dirt roads that has yet been tried. Enthusiasm for good roads is on the increase in Lycoming county and meetings are being held in many districts for the furtherance of the good roads movement. Many who were skeptical about the drag are now convinced that it will do the work.

Barn Burned

It is a very common occurrence during the summer season for a barn to be struck by lightning and burned, but it is very seldom that such thing happens in March. During the heavy thunder shower Sunday afternoon the barn on the farm of Mrs. William Robb, about one and one-half miles north of Romola, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground with all of the contents.

At the time of the fire the barn contained about sixty-five bushels of oats, sixteen bushels of buckwheat, ten tons of hay, a quantity of straw and all the farm implements. All of the stock was gotten out safely. We were informed that there was some insurance on the barn but were unable to learn how much.

CORRESPONDENCE

All correspondents must be in this office not later than Tuesday evening. And ocal matter must be written only on one side of the paper. Correspondents will kindl notice these requests.

Howard.

Clarence Lucas of Moshannon who at one time was a clerk in the store of his brother C. C. Lucas greeted his many friends in town for a few days. Clarence is always a welcome visitor to Howard.

James Wyble who suffered a paralytic stroke some t me ago is again able to be out. He has improved considerable but still bears the marks of his illness.

O. M. Lucas of Altoona paid his aged mother a visit over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Keister of Johnsonburg were visitors over Sunday at the home of Mrs. Keister's sister Mrs. Edward Green. Mrs. Keister is a sister of Mrs. John Fletcher of Johnsonburg.

David A. Holter transacted business in Bellefonte last Saturday.

Candidates for the various county offices are swarming the town and getting acquainted with voters. They have been so numerous during the past week as to almost keep some of the smokers in cigars.

Word has been received here of the death of Samuel Loder, a brother of John Z. and William Loder. His death occurred at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. C. Woolever, in Montoursville, Saturday morning. He was past 76 years of age and had been in feeble health for some time. He was born and raised in this vicinity. He was a verteran of the Civil war and served in Company F. 189th New York infantry. Surviving him are two daughters, Mrs. C. C. Woolever and Mrs. W. T. Wright of Virginia. The following brothers and sisters also survive: John and William of this place, Philip, of Pittsburg; George of near Unionville; Mrs. George Shilling and Miss Lizze Loder, of Bellefonte. Funeral services were held from the house Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock.

The many friends of Henry C. Holter have been urging him to become a candidate for the office of county commissioner, but the "Captain" has so far declined to solicit the office. The persons who have been pressing him as a candidate have numerous reasons why they want him to come before the people as a candidate and some of them are points well taken. One of the reasons is that the end of the county has not been officially represented for some time in the affairs of the county. Another reason is that Mr. Holter is an old soldier and passed through many of the battles of the civil conflict, and they think further that he is fully capable of filling the office. He has served Howard borough in almost every official capacity and has many times been elected to succeed himself. As school director he filled the office satisfactorily for a number of consecutive terms. He scarcely ever sought these offices but was elected to them through the confidence of his party and friends. It is the belief of many that had Mr. Holter solicited the office he would have been successful and that his name on the ticket would have added strength to the party vote at the election. As it is he cannot be persuaded to be a candidate at this time.

The most welcome news we have had for some time was the information that the Howard Iron works would resume operations on Tuesday morning. The works shut down shortly after the first of January and have been down ever since. Quite a few men are employed at these works and the town is partly dependent upon them. The resumption of this industry means much to the merchants as well as to the laboring men as there has been practically no work here during the most of the winter. It is not known if the works will run steady or not but the company has orders now to keep them going several weeks and expect by that time to have more in order that the plant may be kept running.

The local fishermen were quite successful the past week and we saw some fine specimens of the finny tribe.

John Wentzel of Romola is seriously ill at this writing.

Miss Grace Schenck of Lock Haven visited her parents over Sunday.

J. Z. Loder attended the funeral of his brother Samuel at Montoursville on Tuesdy.

The reception given by the High school on Friday evening to the graduating class proved to be a very pleasant affair and one enjoyed by all present. A literary and musical entertainment were features of the reception and delightful refreshments were served. The members of the graduating class are Misses Josephine Henderson. Josephine Muffly, Lula Schenck and Nellie Hopkins.

C. W. Sallada of the electrical supply firm of Prior and Sallada of Williamsport transacted business in town last week. It is understood that he was here in the interest of the electric light plant to be erected by W. H. Long and that work on the plant will soon begin.

Smullton

The snow is fast disappearing and roads are in an almost unpassable condition.

Rev. L. A. Miller from Maryland is a visitor under the parental roof.

Miss Louise McMullen of Hecla Park was the guest of Mrs. Geo. H. Smull.

Scott Walizer made a trip into Nittany Valley last week.

John H. Brindle formerly of this place passed through town on his way home to Woodward, the proud possessor of a new horse purchased from H. H. Miller in Rebersburg.

Robert Hackenberg spent a week with his son in New Berlin recently.

Herbert Smull and John Wetzell are making preparations to move to Rebersburg about April 1st.

John Styers purchased the Thomas Brungard house in Smullton. Consideration $350.

The children of Harry Smull who were on the sick list are able to be out again.

Blanchard

Mr. James Quigley who has been threatened with pneumonia for several days, is now out of danger and able to go around again.

Mr. George Mann one of our most respected citizens was taken to the Lock Haven hospital on Friday to be operated on for stomach and bowel trouble, and died at 5 o'clock of the same day. We had been a constant sufferer for five or six weeks, previous to the operation, but the doctor gave him no hope outside of one chance through an operation which proved fatal. We leaves to mourn his sudden death, a wife one son, and two daughters. He was a kind and loving father, devoted to his home and family, meek and humble always esteeming others before himself, and will be greatly missed in the community. Funeral services were held at the Disciple Church on Monday, interment at the Romola Cemetery.

Mr. Henderson Johnson who has been ill for a few weeks was able to go down street Saturday.

Mr. Wesley Heverly a deacon in the Baptist Church, died on Sunday at the home of his son George, and was buried on Tuesday. Services being conducted by by his Pastor Rev. Ware. Interment in he Baptist Cemetery. Bro Heverly will be much missed among his children and especially so by the church, of which he was a devoted member, giving of his means, and time all he possessed, and doing all in a meek, gentle Christian spirit that no one could resist. To know him was to love him and he has just gone over a little before to join his loving wife and loved ones who preceeded him to the grave, a few years ago. May his "mantle fall on the children" and his prayers bring them to the God he worshipped so faithfully, so they may all meet a happy family on the other shore.

Mr. Chauncey Delong of Philadelphia, is spending a week with his mother Mrs. James Delong.

Mr. A. C. Williams one of our leading merchants made a flying trip to Lock Haven last week.

The protracted meeting at the Disciple Church is still in progress their being up to this date four additions.

Stormstown.

A sledding party from Black spent the day at the home of Joseph Stiver on Tuesday of last week. The party being composed of David Heaton and wife and son Virgil and John Williams and wife and two daughters Lola and S. E. and Master Ruel Stiver.

Miss Nancy Stiver who has been in the Bellefonte Hospital for an operation on her hand has returned home.

Victor Way who has been very ill is now recovering very rapidly.

We should have boats now as the roads are in fearful condition at the present.

Cheer up! Charles the roads wont always be bad in Bald Eagle.

William Borst has moved back to his old home. Sack to old tos hill William.

Our merchants are doing fine business now handling gum boots as this is such good weather for them.

Woodward.

Squire Musser and family attended the funeral of the former's mother last week at Aaronsburg.

Those on the sick list are Miss Meriam Benner, John Orndorf and Benj. Gohen.

Mrs. Allen Hess and baby Frances of Yeagertown are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Eby.

Miss Nannie Boob and gentleman friend from Millheim spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Boob.

John Huss of Spring Mills is visiting at the home of Noah Eby.

Daniel Benner and daughter Miss Florence visited a few days with friends at Linden Hall last week.

Rev. Haas, wife and daughter visited a few days in town last week.

Prominent Philipsburger Dead.

Jackson Harman, a highly respected citizen of Philipsburg died at the family residence in that place Friday forenoon, death being due to a prostratic difficulty. Deceased was born near Belleville, Mifflin county, on January 10th, 1829, and was aged 79 years 2 months and 2 days.

For a number of years he was engaged in the cabinet making, undertaking and furniture business at McAlveysfort, Huntingdon county. In 1878 he was elected as steward of the Huntingdon county alms house, a position he filled for ten years and during which time he lived at Shirleysburg. Later he moved to Huntingdon where he served several years as steward of the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory. While in that position he moved to Philipsburg where he lived a retired life. He was a member of the Methodist church and was also a Mason, being a member of the Mt. Moriah lodge, of Huntingdon. The funeral took place this afternoon and interment was made in the Philipsburg cemetery.

COURT SALE

Of Valuable Ore and Mineral Rights Generally Known as the Huntingdon Furnace Ore Lands.

By virtue of an order and decree of the Court of Common Pleas of Huntingdon County, Pa. Sitting in Equity, the undersigned will expose to public sale or auction, at the Court House in Huntingdon Pa. on Friday, the 29th day of May, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, the following ore rights underlying the following described real estate, situated in the Counties of Huntingdon and Centre, State of Pennsylvania, to wit;

ROBERT COOPER SURVEY.

1. All the iron ore and mineral rights underlying a survey in the name of Robert Cooper, situate in Warriors Mark Township, Huntingdon County, Pa. near the village of Warriors Mark, and comprising the following farms;—

A. All that certain farm, with the timber land adjoining now owned by James B. Irwin, formerly known as the Bell Nearhoof farm, containing 76 acres 105 perches.

B. All the farm and timber land now owned by Martin L, Beck comprising 169 acres 70 perches.

C. About 83 acres 134 perches of farm land now owned by Thomas Tobin.

D. About 12 acres and 53 perches of farm land lately owned by Robert L. Henderson, deceased.

E. About 9 acres and 65 perches of timber land belonging to A. B. Henderson.

F. The farm of the late Jeremiah Nearhoof, including detached portions thereof, adjoining James B. Irwin and A. B. Henderson, and comprising in all 136 acres and 40 perches

G. About 55 acres of the farm of Jessiah Fetterhoof.

Also all the iron ore under all of the following described pieces parcels and tracts of land now owned by Clark Grazier, Esq.,

2. All that certain tract of land, situate in the Township of Warriors Mark, Huntingdon County, Pa. known locally as the Allison farm, containing 328 acres, more or less.

3. All that certain farm, situate in the Township of Warriors Mark, Huntingdon County, Pa. known locally as the Canoe farm, containing 188 acres, more or less.

4. All that certain tract of land, situate in the Townships of Franklin and Warriors Mark, Huntingdon County, containing 177 acres, more or less, known locally as the Wilson farm.

5 All that certain tract of land, situate in Franklin Township, Huntingdon Co, containing about 405 acres, more or less comprising the Furnace farm and the Western part of the Dry Gap farm.

6. All that certain tract of land, situate in the Township of Franklin, Huntingdon County, containing 321 acres, more or less, known as the Mill farm.

7 All that tract of land, situate in the Township of Franklin, County of Huntingdon, containing 251 acres, more or less, and known locally as the upper Mill farm.

8. All that certain tract of land, situate in the Townships of Franklin and Warriors Mark, Huntingdon County, Pa. containing 204 acres, more or less, known as the Dry Hollow farm.

9. All that certain tract of land, situate in the Townships of Franklin and Warriors Mark, Huntingdon County, Pa. containing 243 acres, more or less, and known locally as the Old Seat farm.

10. All that certain tract of land, situate in the Township of Franklin, Huntingdon County, containing 48 acres, more or less, and known locally as the Miller Clearing.

11. All that certain tract of unimproved land, situate in the Township of Warriors Mark, Huntingdon County, Pa. and being unimproved portions of the John Wallace, William McCahan, William Perry and William Thompson surveys, containing 272 acres, more or less.

12. All that tract of land, containing 250 acres, more or less, situate in the Township of Warriors Mark, Huntingdon County, Pa. known locally as the Shoenberger Ore Mines, and lying outside of the Wilson farm and not including any portion of the Wilson Thompson survey.

13. All that tract of unimproved land, containing 150 acres, more or less, lying East of the Huntingdon Furnace, and including portions of the James Worrel, John Lyon and James Armitage surveys.

14. All that certain tract of unimproved land, lying in Kale Hollow, and situate in Franklin Township, Huntingdon Co. Pa. containing 1050 acres more or less.

15. All that certain tract of unimproved land, situate in the Township of Franklin, Huntingdon County, lying East of the Old Seat farm and West of the Upper Mill farm and containing 280 acres, more or less.

16. All that certain tract of unimproved land, situate in the township of Franklin and Warriors Mark, Huntingdon County, lying West of the Old Seat farm, containing 200 acres, more or less.

ALSO ALL the iron ore under all the following described tracts and parcels of land to wit;—

17. All that certain tract of land, situate in Spruce Creek Township, Huntingdon Co. Pa. bounded on the North by lands of E. F. Shoenberger's heirs, and Sidney Isett, on the South and East by lands of E. F. Shoenberger's heirs and on the West by lands of same and J. M. Bell and Sidney Isett, containing 313 acres, 54 perches, net, and known locally as the Merrits, Sprankle or McIlhenny farm. and being property lately sold by John Phillips, Master, to E. B. Isett.

18. All that certain tract of land situate in Franklin Township, Huntingdon Co. Pa. bounded on the North by lands of Clark Grazier, on the South by the Chestnut Hill farm, on the East by lands of Clark Grazier, and E. F. Shoenberger's heirs and on the West by lands of E. F. Shoenberger's heirs and Clark Grazier. Containing 224 acres, 129 perches, more or less. Known as the Eastern part of the Dry Gap farm, and lately sold by John Phillips, Master, to Clark Grazier.

19. All that certain tract of land, situate in Franklin Township, Huntingdon County, bounded by lands of Clark Grazier, on the North and East; on the South and West by lands of E. F. Shoenberger's heirs and Sidney Isett, containing 210 acres, more or less. Known as the Johnson or Pond farm, now owned by Edward Gensimore and lately sold to him by John Phillips, Master,

20. All that certain tract of land, situate in the Township of Spruce Creek, formerly Franklin, Huntingdon County, Pa. bounded on the North by lands of Daniel Walte and E. F. Shoenberger's children; on the South by lands of E. B. Isett and D. Gensimore; on the East by lands of E. F. Shoenberger's children and J. M. Bell; on the West by lands of Samuel Henderson, D. Gensimore. Containing 226 acres, more or less. Known as the Madden farm, and lately sold by John Phillips. Master, to John Stover.

21. All that certain tract of land, situate in the Township of Franklin, Huntingdon County, bounded on the North by tract known as the Pond Farm; on the South by lands of E. F. Shoenberger's heirs; on the West by lands of Clark Grazier and E. F. Shoenberger's heirs and on the East by lands of Clark Grazier and Benjamin Sprankle. Known as the Massey or Chestnut Hill farm. Containing 241 acres 109 perches net, and lately sold by John Phillips, Master, to E. B. Isett.

22. All that certain tract of unimproved land, situate in the Township of Franklin and Spruce Creek, Huntingdon County, being part of the Patrick Madden survey, adjoining lands of Sidney Isett and heirs of Daniel Walte on the North, E. F. Shoenberger's children and J. M. Bell on the South and East; and lands of heirs of Daniel Walte and E. F. Shoenberger's children on the West Containing 92 acres 90 perches, and lately sold by John Phillips, Master, to A. M. Brown,

23. All that certain tract of timber land, situate in the Township of Franklin, Huntingdon County, bounded on the North and East by lands of Clark Grazier and E. F. Shoeberger's heirs; on the South and West by land of E. F. Shoenberger's heirs, containing 130 acres and 20 perches net, and lately sold by John Phillips, Master to A. M. Brown

24. All that certain tract of timber land, situate in the Township of Franklin, Huntingdon County, Pa. bounded on the North by lands of E. F. Shoenberger's children, on the South by land of David Henderson and Oliver Stevens; on the East by land of Benjamin Sprankle and R. W. Henderson; on the West by land of J. M. Bell, John McPherran and E. F. Shoenberger's heirs. Containing 195 acres, 53 perches net. Being property lately sold by John Phillips, Master to R. S. Seeds, Walter Seeds and John E. Seeds.

25. All that tract of timber land, situate in Warriors Mark, Township, Huntingdon County, composed of two tracts of land known as the David Porter and Mary Porter, containing 487 acres 69 perches, net measure. Being the property lately sold by John Phillips, Master, to Robert S. Seeds, Walter Seeds and John E. Seeds.

26. All that certain tract of timber land, situate in Franklin Township, Huntingdon County adjoining lands of E. F. Shoenberger's children, Clark Grazier on the North, lands of E. F. Shoenberger's children on the South and East and lands of same and Sidney Isett on the West. Containing 140, acres, 145 perches, being property lately sold by John Phillips, Master, to E. B. Isett.

27. All that tract of unimproved land, lying partly in Franklin Township, Huntingdon County, and partly in Ferguson Township, Centre County, comprising all or portions of, the several surveys in the names of Patrick Moore, John Hall, Charles Rish and Robert Ramey, containing 1245 acres, more or less, and lately sold to John T. Isett by John Phillips, Master.

28. All that certain tract of land, situate in the Township of Franklin, Huntingdon County, containing 145 acres, more or less, lying between Huntingdon Furnace and Colrain, and now owned by William Roub, locally known as the Benjamin Sprankle farm.

29. All that certain tract of unimproved land, situate in the Township of Warriors Mark, Huntingdon County, Pa. adjoining lands of Clark Grazier, Uriah Gates, Mingle Brothers, Thomas Kooken's Estate, Daniel Waite's heirs and others. Being part of surveys in the name of William Perry, William Thompson and R. Chaney, containing 325 acres, more or less.

30. All that certain tract of unimproved land, situate in Warriors Mark Township, and being parts of what is known locally as the Lehman Brothers and Mrs. Samuel Kauffman farms, containing 54 acres.

31. All that tract of unimproved land, situate in Warriors Mark Township, Huntingdon County, adjoining lands of Henry Myers Estate, John H. Harpster, Eli Grant, F. L. Peck, R. S. Seeds and George Dickson. Being part of surveys in the name of William Birdsall and A. Henderson, containing 425 acres, more or less.

32. All that piece of land, situate near the Dorsey ore mine, in Warriors Mark Township, Huntingdon County, now owned by Thomas Smith, containing 10 acres, more or less.

33. A small piece of land situate near the Dorsey ore mine in Warriors Mark Township Huntingdon County, owned by Elizabeth Patterson and containing 12 acres, more or less.

34. A piece of land, situate on both sides of the Juniata Branch of the Lewisburg and Tyrone Railroad, near Juniata Junction in Ferguson Township, Centre County, warranted in the name of David Mitchell, and containing 62 acres.

35. An unimproved tract of land, situate in Franklin and Warriors Mark Township, Huntingdon County, adjoining lands of Clark Grazier, Jefferron Deeters Henry Smith and A. L. Henderson's heirs, and Mrs. S. Kauffman Lehman dec. A. C. Hutchison's heirs comprising portions of the William Hickman, Sarah Massey, William Lamborn, Joshua Lewis, George Mentzer surveys, containing 800 acres, more or less.

36. All that certain tract of land, situate in Warriors Mark Township, Huntingdon County, containing 17 acres 46 perches, known as the James Cox tract.

37. All that certain tract of land, situate in Warriors Mark Township, Huntingdon County, known as the David B. Mong tract, containing 6 acres and 20 perches.

38. All that certain tract of land situate in Warriors Mark Township. Huntingdon County, containing 22 acres, known as the Samuel M. Hannah tract.

39. All that certain tract of land, situate in Warriors Mark Township, Huntingdon county, containing 9 acres, known as the William Hutchison tract.

40. All that certain tract of land, situate in Warriors Mark Township, on the banks of the Juniata River, adjoining the Mountain Seminary lands, containing 5 acres 110 perches, sold to L. G. Grier.

41. All that certain tract of land, situate in Warriors Mark Township, Huntingdon county, containing 2 acres, known as the Thomas Kooken property.

Any prospective purchasers desiring any information as to the location of any of the above described lands, or desiring maps of the same showing the different locations, please call or write on one of the undersigned, or R. A. Zentmyer, Tyrone, Pa., always giving number of the tract as appears on this bill.

TERMS OF SALE. Where the property sells for two hundred dollars or less, twenty per cent of the purchase money is to be paid when the property is knocked down, and the balance to be paid when the sale has been confirmed by the Court and delivery of deed within ten days thereafter.

Where the property sells for over two hundred dollars ten per cent of the purchase money is to be paid when the property is knocked down; forty per cent of the purmoney to be paid when the sale has been confirmed by the Court and delivery of deed within ten days thereafter; fifty per cent of the purchase money to be paid within one year from the date of the confirmation of the sale, to be secured by the bond and mortgage of the purchaser. In case the master deems it advisable to require additional security besides the judgment or mortgage of the purchaser, he shall have the right to do so.

JOHN PHILLIPS, Master in Equity.
Alexandria, Pa.

JAMES S. WOODS, Attorney.
Huntingdon, Pa.

Card of Thanks.

A. V. Jackson and family wish to extend their heartfelt thanks to the many kind citizens of Bellefonte who so willingly aided them during the time of their sore bereavement. Also being in receipt of a number of telegrams and letters of condolence, they wish to return thanks to those who were so kind to send words of sympathy to the family. Again, thanks to the people who furnished carriages for the funeral.

J. Albert Jackson of Chicago, Ill., eldest son of the deceased, traveling in the interest of a bank or trust company was in Kansas City, Missouri, and did not receive word in time to be home for the funeral. He telegraphed Thursday after being located by his wife, "Can I reach home in time?"

Cattle Raisers Face Difficulty

A very serious proposition confronts the farmers of Pennsylvania who fatten cattle for the market. Last season's crop of corn, which is fed mainly to steers, has turned out badly much of it having spoiled in the cribs. The ears have become very tough and the cattle refuse to eat much of it.

The corn lacks fattening qualities, requiring almost twice the amount used in previous years to produce a hundred pounds of flesh. A number of farmers have been compelled to buy corn in the West, and as prices for western grain are high, it will cut down their profits considerably.

Unclaimed Letters.

The following letters remain in the Bellefonte P. O. uncalled for March 16th. 1908.

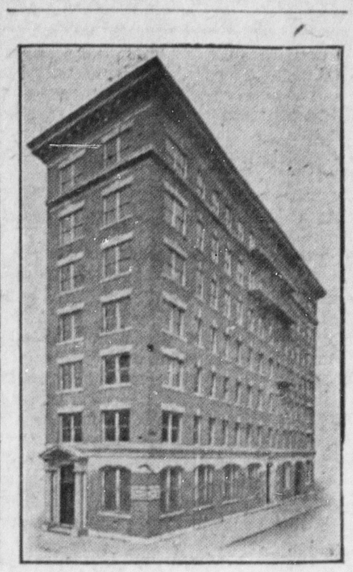
Haddie Green, Mrs. Mary Griggs, John H. Royer.

When called for please say advertised.

T. H. HARTER.

Dedication Jubilee.

The Reformed church building, which has been erected at the corner of Fifteenth and Race streets, Philadelphia, to accomodate the official boards and publication interests of that denomination, will be formally dedicated on Friday, March 20th. A series of jubilee services will precede the hour of dedication.



REFORM CHURCH BUILDING.

The formal dedication of the building will take place in the Assembly hall at p. m., Rev. Dr. C. Clever, of Hagerstown Md., president of the Sunday school board, presiding. Greetings and dedication of the building by Rev. Dr. A. E. Dahlman of Buffalo, N. Y., president of the General Synod.

Early Spring Thunder Shower

Sunday was another unusual and stormy day. No one was much surprised when they awoke in the morning and found it was raining for the weather man has been dispensing a variety of Sabbath weather of late. About noon the sky became clear and the bright warm rays of the sun soon dried up all traces of the morning shower. It was then that many planned for a pleasant Sunday afternoon's walk, but soon dark clouds began to gather on the western horizon and ere long the rumbling of distant thunder was heard. It was the first thunder shower of the season and was almost as severe as a midsummer shower. There were numerous bright flashes of lightning and several loud peals of thunder. The rainfall was heavy, and the contemplated afternoon promenades were postponed. The shower was followed by a high wind and a drop in the temperature. It is likely that this will continue for a few days as cooler weather usually follows an early spring thunder shower. "Old probabilities" claim that this is a forerunner of a cool summer and some predict a hot summer, while we contend that it will be hot enough.

Fined for Killing a Doe.

Daniel Murray, of Medix Run was fined $100 for killing a doe during the hunting season. The case was disposed of a few days ago by Game Commissioner Hummelsbaug, who collected the evidence. The Murray party were hunting at the headwaters of Medix Run when Murray shot and killed a doe. They were afraid to bring the game in and left it in the woods, covering it with brush. Subsequently some t appers stumbled on to the story and it got to the ears of the game commissioner. The officer instituted an investigation and in due time the doe was found and the evidence procured for fixing the responsiblity. The commissioner then began proceeding. No defense was made, and the offense was admitted, and thereupon the fine fixed.

New Railroad for Lock Haven.

In commenting on the railroad operations in progress the Lock Haven Express says they are reliably informed that the Pittsburg Binghamton and eastern has no connection with the talked of road down the canal from Lock Haven to Williamsport, and that the P. B. & E. will be a separate line. It is said that work on the P. B. & E. will commence this summer.

It is reported that the contemplated road down the old canal is to be used as a cut-off by the Pennsylvania road for conveying the coal and other freight from the Bald Eagle road from Lock Haven east. It really looks as if Lock Haven will have two new railroads in the near future, viz: The P. B. & E. and the canal route of the Pennsylvania.

Y. M. C. A. Juniors vs State College High School.

The Junior Y. M. C. A. basket ball team will play State College High school team on Saturday afternoon March 14th. Our boys were so successful in defeating State College senior grammar school that they have secured a game with a stronger and larger team this time. This is a game everyone should attend for there is no one who appreciates your presence more than the boys do. The game starts at 2.30 and the admission fee is within reach of everyone, 10 cents.

Alcohol not needed

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a strong drink. As now made, there is not a drop of alcohol in it. It is a non-alcoholic tonic and alterative. Ask your own doctor about your taking this medicine for thin, impure blood. Follow his advice every time. He knows.

Ayer's — We publish our formulas. We banish alcohol from our medicines. We urge you to consult your doctor

Ask your doctor, "What is the first great rule of health?" Nine doctors out of ten will quickly reply, "Keep the bowels regular." Then ask him another question, "What do you think of Ayer's Pills for constipation?"

—Made by the J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.—

College of Music.

$37 pays six weeks' tuition on any instrument, singing, and board at the old established College of Music, Freeburg, Pa. Young people well cared for. Terms begin May 4, June 15 and July 27. For catalogue address HENRY B. MOYER.

R-3t-2-20

PUBLIC SALE. Personal property of the late Henry A. Witherite, near Runville, will be disposed of at public sale on Tuesday, Mar. 24, 1908, at 10 o'clock, consisting of 2 horses, 4 cows, 1 bull, 5 head young cattle, 2 brood sows, 9 shoats, one 2-horse carriage, cover and harness, farm implements, 12 hives of bees and fixings, vinegar by the barrel, hay by the ton and oats by the bushel.

J. ZIEGLER, Adm'r.

Wingate, Pa. 1908.

Sealed Proposals.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, State Highway Department,
Harrisburg, Pa.

Sealed proposals will be received by the State Highway Department of Pennsylvania, under the Act approved May 1st, 1905, for the construction of 2,629 feet of road, extending from the borough line at county bridge over Bald Eagle Creek to the south borough line, in Milesburg Boro, in the County of Centre. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the county commissioners, Bellefonte, and at the office of the State Highway Department, Harrisburg, Pa. Bidding blanks will be furnished by the State Highway Department upon request. Bids must be endorsed "PROPOSALS FOR RECONSTRUCTION OF ROAD IN MILESBURG BORO CENTRE COUNTY," and received at the office of the State Highway Department not later than March 27, 1908.

JOSEPH W. HUNTER,
Rep 4-t State Highway Department.

Sealed Proposals.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, State Highway Department,
Harrisburg, Pa.

Sealed proposals will be received by the State Highway Department of Pennsylvania, under the Act approved May 1st, 1905, for the construction of 5.740 feet of road, extending from the Philipsburg Borough in an easterly direction in Rush Township, in the county of Centre. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the county commissioners, Bellefonte and at the office of the State Highway Department, Harrisburg, Pa. Bidding blanks will be furnished by the State Highway Department upon request. Bids must be endorsed "PROPOSALS FOR RECONSTRUCTION OF ROAD IN RUSH TOWNSHIP, CENTRE COUNTY," and received at the office of the State Highway Department not later than March 27, 1908.

JOSEPH W. HUNTER,
State Highway Commissioner.

Executrix Notice.

Estate of Mary B. Smith, late of Bellefonte Boro, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons inbebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to,

Mrs. Virginia S. Feidt,
R-2-12-6t. Bellefonte, Pa.

Administrators Notice.

Estate of H. A. Witherite, late of Boggs Township, deceased.

Letters of Administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersign, all persons indepted to said estate are requested to make payment; and those having claims to present the same without delay to,

J. Zeigler, Administrator,
Rep-Feb -6t. Wingate, Pa..

Public Sale,

There will be exposed at public sale at Mrs. Rothrock's farm 2 mile west of Bellefonte on March 18 1908 at 1. P.M. shap a full line of farming implements, household goods, stock etc. Some of the implements such as drill, hay rake binder and mower have never been used but one year. Terms made known on day of sale. Auctioneer Frank Mayes. R-tf.

Auditors Notice.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, Pennsylvania, January Term 1892. No. 204. In the matter of the assigned estate of James A. Beaver.

The undersigned, Auditor appointed by the Court to audit, settle and adjust the third partial account of the Commonwealth Trust Company (formerly the Commonwealth Guarantee Trust and Safe Deposit Company) assignee and Trustee of James A. Beaver for the benefit of, creditors, and to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the Accountant to and among those legally entitled thereto, will meet the parties interested, for the purposes of his appointment, on Friday, January 17th 1908, at 10 o'clock, A. M. at his offices in Temple Court, Bellefonte, Pa., when and where all parties interested are required to make and prove their claims, or be forever debarred from coming in upon said fund.

December 30, 1907.

Harry Keller
3 t. Auditor.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Henry A. Guyer, late of Taylor township, deceased.

Letters of administration on the Estate of Henry A. Guyer, late of Taylor township, Centre County, Pa. deceased, have been granted to Elizabeth E. Guyer residing in said township, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims and demands, will make known the same without delay.

ELIZABETH E. GUYER,
Port Matilda.
T. J. Sexton, Attorney.

Executor's Notice.

Estate of B. W. Hess, late of Rush township, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

MRS. ADA HESS.
Osceola Mills, Pa.
Patterson & Gleason, Attorneys, Houtzdale, Pa.

Pengreave's Helping Hand.

By W. F. BRYAN.

Copyrighted, 1908, by Homer Sprague.

Pengreave, coming slowly down the street, gave no heed to his surroundings. For twenty years he had been coming down the same street, sometimes a little earlier, sometimes very much later, but always he passed along with unseeing eyes, his thoughts fixed upon his business and his home.

At fifteen he had first turned into the side street from the main thoroughfare. Horse cars had run unevenly over the badly set rails, and flickering gas lamps had lighted all save the business streets. Now there were trolleys everywhere, and even the alleyways were lighted by electricity, but Richard Pengreave gave no heed to these changes.

It had been a good locality once. When Pengreave, in the glory of his first long trousers and his first "real" job, had sought a boarding place Mrs. Beldin's had been recommended as being in a "nice residential neighborhood."

It had been a well swept street then, lined with rows of three story brick houses and here and there a "brownstone front" to break the monotony. Now the homes had given way to five and six story tenements. Mud heaps and garbage barrels littered the unkempt pavement and the broken flagstones.

The Beldin house, too, had changed. Mrs. Beldin's daughter had assumed charge at her mother's death and had changed it to a furnished room house, declaring that the cares of a large kitchen weighed too heavily upon her. Then she married and had moved uptown, and some one else had taken over the shabby house, with its shabby furniture.

The change had annoyed Pengreave, and he had promptly purchased the

"I SHALL HOLD YOU TO YOUR PROMISE!" SHE CRIED.

place, for he was errand boy no longer, but the proprietor of a business. He had retained the first floor for his own use, and a real estate agent had rented the other floors. He handed Pengreave quarterly checks, and Pengreave worried no more.

He was sure of a home, the only home he had known. He sat at his window in the summer evenings and looked across the square opposite and gave no heed to the children swarming in the street.

There had been few children when he had first come to Barrow street, and those were well dressed and orderly. Now the policeman on the beat had his hands full, and only Pengreave remained serene and unworried.

Once for nearly a year he had worried. It was when he was nineteen and he had fancied himself in love. But Lena had married a junk dealer on the corner below, and after an unquiet month, during which he drank weidles instead of the smaller glasses at the Bierhalle, Pengreave had recovered his placidity.

Since then it had pleased him to believe that his life had been wrecked, and so he kept Lena's faded photograph on the mantelpiece, and at times he took it down and sighed over it; also he avoided all feminine society.

At his uncle's death the latter's business had passed to him, and under his even administration it had grown greatly. He lunched at better places, and he also dined downtown. He bought a new suit of clothes whenever his old cashier discreetly hinted that one was needed.

The woman who acted as janitress for the house attended also to his rooms, and he found them always orderly. He asked nothing more.

But tonight a surprise waited for him at his very door. As he let himself in a voice from the darkness of the floor above roused him. It was a musical voice with the indefinable accent of good breeding, and it gave to the simple question the melody of a song.

"I am not the doctor," was his reply as he kept on up the stairs instead of turning into his own apartments on the first floor. "Is there need of a doctor? Some one is ill?"

"Mrs. Brady," explained the voice. "She scalded her hand, and I sent a little girl for a doctor."

Pengreave turned up the tiny flicker of gas. The increased flame revealed a dainty feminine form in a simple tailored gown. Pengreave was conscious only that the girl was well dressed. It was the face that held him fascinated. The features were well cut and regular; the eyes were calm and unafraid and of a deep tender blue that moved Pengreave strangely.

"Where do you live?" he demanded. The girl smiled.

"I don't live here," she explained. "I am a visitor from the Helping Hand society."

Pengreave was puzzled.

"They need charity here?" he demanded. "I thought that was only with the very poor."

"These are the very poor," she said simply. "Don't you know?"

Pengreave shook his head in bewilderment. Twenty years he had lived there, and poverty had come to be his neighbor, but he did not know it.

"Had I known I should have given aid," he said quietly. "If there is need, come to me. The doctor—I will pay him. Send me his bill. I am sorry for Mrs—Mrs"—

"Brady," supplied the girl. "You are very good."

Then the physician hustled in, and Pengreave went downstairs to his rooms. In a little while there was a tapping at the door, and he opened it to discover the girl.

"Mrs. Brady asked me to thank you for your kindness," she said. "It pleased her so much that she almost forgot the hurt of her burn."

Pengreave smiled. He could not recall ever having been thanked before. He had never done anything to call for thanks because he did not know how.

"You must come again when you need help," he said warmly. "I am here always in the evenings. You have but to ask."

"I shall hold you to your promise," she said. "There is much good that you can do. We are so handicapped by lack of money, and there is so much that we want to do. You must see for yourself the misery about you. Good night."

She hurried down the hall, and Pengreave waited until the street door closed behind her before he shut his own.

He went back into the room, his head in a whirl. Dimly he was conscious that the street was not the same as it had been in his boyhood. The girl must be right. He was willing to set with her eyes, those eyes of the glorious blue.

Those eyes gave him much to think about. He was not yet forty, and more than half of his years had been given to the unwavering pursuit of business. True, there had been Lena, but now Pengreave knew how little Lena had really meant to him.

For the first time that he could remember he had met a woman of his own kind, and he felt the need of knowing more of the life he had missed. He remembered that he was still a comparatively young man, and those blue eyes had loosened something within his breast—his repressed boyhood, his unrealized need of the society of his fellows.

He was as one born again and, being born, saw the world in a new light. Methodically he removed the picture of Lena from its tawdry frame and tossed it upon the coals glowing in the open fire. He was rather well pleased with the reflection in the mirror above the mantel as he stood there.

"I must get some new clothes tomorrow," he said to the reflection; "also I must find a place where it is well to live, a house such as she will like. I, too, need a helping hand." And the reflection in the mirror smiled back at him. Now that Pengreave was awakened he knew it was well. The rest would follow in due course.

Camel Races.

Camel races are held regularly in the south of Algeria, where valuable prizes are offered for the encouragement of the breed of racers, and as much interest is taken in their preparation and performance as in that of race horses in this country. The racing camels are the result of very careful breeding through many generations, and in size, temper and appearance they are so different from the ordinary beast of burden that they might almost be considered a different race of animals.

Perhaps the most conspicuous characteristic of the ordinary camel is its extreme slowness. Nothing on earth will ever induce it to hurry. A twenty dollar note will buy a very fair specimen, but for a mehari, or racing camel, five or ten times that sum is required to effect a purchase.

The racer, however, can be depended on for nine or ten miles an hour kept up for sixteen or seventeen hours almost without a stop. The pace in a camel race is generally fast and furious at the beginning, when all the animals are together and seem to realize that a contest is in progress.

The Famous Basilisk.

According to the ancient writers, the basilisk—sometimes called cockatrice—was a monster to be greatly dreaded. Its breath filled the air with a deadly poison and burned up vegetation, and the glance of its eye was fatal to both man and beast. The only creature that could face it and live, they said, was the cock, and travelers were advised to take loud crowing cocks with them as a protection against the monster. So much for superstition. As a matter of fact the basilisk is a harmless lizard, living a quiet life in the woods and feeding on insects. Its appearance, however, is formidable, and it is this perhaps that gave it a bad name. It grows to a length of from twenty-five to thirty inches, including its tail, which is much longer than its body. Rising from its head and inclining backward is a broad, winglike expansion, which gives it some resemblance to the flying lizard. The crest of this expansion is formed somewhat like a crown, and that gave the basilisk its name, which is from the Greek word meaning "king."

Her 'Art Was Right.

Mrs. H. had a warm hearted and industrious but careless servant, who broke so many dishes that her mistress one day said to her: "Really, Ellen, I think I must take the price of the dishes you are breaking out of your wages. Don't you think you would be more careful if I did?"

"Hi might, ma'am," replied Ellen contritely, "but Hi think, ma'am, it'd be better to take it out of my 'ide."

"Out of your hide? Why, what do you mean?"

"Hi, mean, ma'am, that if you broke my 'ead hevery time Hi broke a cup or a saucer Hi'd mind myself better."

One day poor Ellen fell her full length on the kitchen floor with a gallon pan of milk in her hands. Her shrieks of dismay brought Mrs. H. in great haste to the kitchen. There lay Ellen in the pool of milk, making no effort to rise.

"Knock me in the 'ead, ma'am! Knock me in the 'ead!" she wailed.

"Oh, get up, Ellen! Get up and mop up this milk. This accident is more a fault of your heels than your head."

"You speak the truth, ma'am," replied the weeping Ellen. "If my 'eels 'ad been where my 'art is this never would 'ave 'appened, for Hi mean right in my 'art, ma'am, no matter what Hi does with my 'ead and my 'eels."—London Scraps.

Pennyroyal and Fleas.

When it comes to talking about fleas the writer knows just where he is at. When he was a boy the country swarmed with them, and perhaps one of the things he will remember longest will be the sleepless nights and the torments that the fleas gave him when sitting in Quaker meetings, where he did not dare to scratch. For many years the people seemed to put up with them as an evil from which there was no escape, yet there was an efficient remedy growing on every farm in the shape of a modest little plant called pennyroyal, which is familiar to every country bred boy. The odor of this plant seems very offensive to many kinds of insects. A freshly bruised bunch of the plant put in a small bag and rubbed on the bed linen and then left in the bed will evict the last flea in a very few minutes. A few drops of the essential oil of the plant, which can be got at any drug store, rubbed on one's underclothing will drive them from the person immediately and if sprinkled about a room infested with fleas will clear them out.—Forest and Stream.

Before the Mirror.

He is one of those persons with a mad passion for figuring out "How much," "How long," etc., and was waiting for his wife, who was adjusting her hat before the mirror. They were going to the theater and had ten minutes to catch their train. Presently a sparkle came into his eye, and he fished a pencil and paper from his pocket. That kind of man always has a pencil and paper even in his evening clothes.

"Do you know," he said presently, looking up at his wife, who had finished adjusting her hat, "that I figure, basing my figures on observation, that a girl from six to ten spends an average of seven minutes a day before her mirror, from ten to fifteen a quarter of an hour, from fifteen to twenty twenty-two minutes. A woman of seventy will have spent 5,862 hours, or eight solid months, counting day and night. Now, a woman of your age has spent"—

"Never mind what I've spent," she said coldly, removing her hat. "You have spent fifteen minutes figuring it out, and we have missed that train."—St. Louis Republic.

What Then?

In a cemetery at Middlebury, Vt., is a stone, erected by a widow to her loving husband, bearing this inscription: "Rest in Peace—Until We Meet Again."

Where is the man who will pretend to call himself a philosopher and lay down no rules of duty?—Aristotle.

BEES LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP

CONFORMS TO NATIONAL PURE FOOD AND DRUGS LAW.

An improvement over many Cough, Lung and Bronchial Remedies, because it rids the system of a cold by acting as a cathartic on the bowels. No opiates. Guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Prepared by PINEULE MEDICINE CO., CHICAGO, U. S. A.

For sale by Krumrine's Drug Store.

Woman's World

MRS. HESTER D. RICHARDSON

Genealogical Research the Vocation of This Clever Maryland Woman.

Mrs. Richardson is a Baltimore woman and a member of the Maryland Society of the Colonial Dames of America, for years the historian of the Baltimore chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, and honorary vice regent of the Pocahontas Memorial association. Of the learned societies she is a member of the American Historical association, of the National Geographic society, a vice president of the Maryland Original Research society and the founder of the Woman's Literary Club of Baltimore, which includes many well known writers.

To use Mrs. Richardson's own words, she has now emancipated herself from office in all organizations of women to concentrate her time and interest upon her chosen vocation of genealogical research.

A desire for the preservation of family history in permanent and elegant form has resulted in an edition de luxe

MRS. HESTER DORSEY RICHARDSON.

designed by her and executed under her direction which has been favorably compared by New York millionaire connoisseurs with the illuminated missals in the British museum and those of the Vatican. This unique feature of her professional work has added reputation to this talented Baltimore woman, who is also a contributor to various leading periodicals.

The College of Arms having accepted American pedigrees established by her, according to the intricate exactions of that conservative institution, Mrs. Richardson is now making a collection of the emblazoned arms of hundreds of colonial families from original sources, especially the early families of note in the thirteen colonies, her research being by no means limited to Maryland.

Old Man Rain.

Old Man Rain
At the window pane
Knocks and fumbles and raps again.
His long nailed fingers slip and strain.
Old Man Rain at the window pane
Knocks all night, but knocks in vain—
Old Man Rain.

Old Man Rain,
With battered train,
Reels and shambles along the lane.
His old gray whiskers drip and drain.
Old Man Rain, with ragged train,
Reels and staggers like one insane—
Old Man Rain.

Old Man Rain
Is back again,
With old Mis' Wind at the window pane,
Dancing there with her tattered train.
Her old shawl flaps as she whirls again
In the wild man reel and is torn in twain—
Old Mis' Wind and Old Man Rain.

—Reader.

In Lengthy Terms.

In the suburbs of one of our great cities recently a new resident stopped in front of his neighbor's gate and inquired of the boy swinging thereon:

"Is your pa home, sonny?"

"No, sir," replied the lad. "He went up the road apiece."

"Gone afoot?"

"No; about a mile."—Judge's Library.

A COUGH IS LIKE A MULE

You've got to coax it to get it to go. We have a cold cure that will start the most stubborn cough going and quickly make it disappear entirely. We have witnessed its effectiveness in hundreds of cases and guarantee that it will stop your cough.

Rexall
COMPOUND
CHERRY JUICE COUGH SYRUP

Is a delightful cough cure, entirely different from the old, nauseating cough remedies. Its delightful flavor makes it very palatable, and children especially take it readily. It relieves coughs immediately and cures sore throat and hoarseness. If it doesn't stop your cough bring us back the empty bottle and we'll return your money. Three popular sizes, 25c., 50c. and $1.00.

Green's Pharmacy Co.,
The Rexall Store.
BELLEFONTE, PA.

High Grade Building Material?

Do YOU need any? You wouldn't want any other kind, you know.

Do you know of a friend who is putting up a new building, or going to repair an old one?

If you do, you need us!

We supply: Lumber—rough bill stuff, mill work of all kinds and every wood, Sash, Plain or primed and glazed, Glass, Wall Plaster, Cement, Lime, Sand, Ruberoid Roofing, Shingles, CONCRETE BUILDING BLOCKS WITH DOUBLE AIR CHAMBER

The strength and Compeleteness of the new business is perhaps revelation to many buyers—but our present customers know. QQ

Please note! The Bellefonte Lumber Company is the Old Ardell Lumber Company, made over, grown bigger, and with every division outside of lumber added new and complete.

It is a new Company, but the men who run it are not beginners. Mr. E. M. Huyett is President, Mr. Edward L. Hoy is Secretary & Treasure. Mr. J. C. Smith, is superintendent. The directors are Mr. James Harris and Mr. Daniel Buck (Fleming), together with the officers above

We try to get all that is best in the widest range of material and quality. We think we have it. You can get everything you need for any building here. And the price will be right.

This is the only complete Construction Material supply house in this county.

It's the place for you not to miss getting an estimate from when the time comes to buy.

Bellefonte Lumber Co.

—Fine new mackrel large and medium size bones out, codfish in bricks boneless, SECHLER & CO.

Will's Little Early Risers
The famous little pills.

—Something special at the T heato rium" tonight.

—Great doins at the Theatorium tonight.

—We have everything in the grocery line. Come and see. Sechler & Co.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia
For sale by C M Parrish

EASTER -:- EASTER

See our fine stock of Valentines before you buy. Nearly everything you can think of in the Valentine Line. I have a stock of 14,000.

EASTER POST CARDS

which are my speciality, and you can get them for

1 Cent to $1.00 Each.

A post card is so much better than anything else as it can be put in an Album and kept as nearly every body has a

POST CARD ALBUM

or should have one or more in the family, we sell them from

5 cents to $10.00 each.

If you want Post Cards come to the the only real post card store in the County where you have 13,000 variety to pick from. Wholesale as well as retail.

Post Cards for St. Patrick's Day.

GEORGE T. BUSH,
Bush Arcade,
BELLEFONTE, PENNA.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE

Will cure any case of Kidney or Bladder Disease not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more.

Cures Backache
Corrects Irregularities
Do not risk having Bright's Disease or Diabetes

FOR SALE BY C. M. PARRISH.

CONSPIRATORS FOUND GUILTY

Snyder, Sanderson, Shumaker and Mathues are the Four Convicted

JURY OUT SIX HOURS

Only Two Ballots Were Taken—Motions for New Trial for all Four are Made.

THE COURT ROOM WAS CROWDED

Harrisburg, March 13. -The jury in the first of the capitol conspiracy cases to be tried gave a verdict of guilty as to every one of the four men who have been on trial here for the last seven weeks, Friday night, after six hours' deliberation. There were two ballots taken, but the jury did not come in to court until for over two hours after reaching a conclusion.

The men found guilty are John H. Sanderson, contractor; William P. Snyder, ex-auditor general; W. L. Mathues, ex-state treasurer, and James M. Shumaker, ex-superintendent.

Motions for new trials were made as to all of them.

The jury came into court at 8.25 and a minute later Foreman Dunkle, in reply to Clerk of the Courts Warden, announced that they had agreed upon a verdict. It was read to the court and then aloud. The jury was not polled, but when the clerk read the verdict, convicting all of conspiracy, each man gave his assent by a nod.

Judge Kunkel warmly thanked the jurymen for their patience and the care given to the case and dismissed them with the customary thanks of the court. The entire proceedings occupied ten minutes.

Immediately after new motions were made for new trials on behalf of each of the defendants. Only Sanderson and Snyder were in court when the verdict was given and neither would talk. None of the council for the defendants would say anything about the case. The states attorneys, when questioned, said that they were pleased at the result of hard work.

The miximum penalties for each defendant in this case is two years' imprisonment and $1.000 fine.

The four men were convicted of defrauding the state in furnishing the new capitol, which cost the state about $13,000,000, instead of $4,000,000, the figure at which the contract was estimated.

When the cases now pending against the four persons who were convicted Friday are concluded the other defendants will be heard. The state claims that there are frauds amounting to nearly $5,000,000 in the furnishings of the capitol

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Y. M. C. A. Loses Game.

The Y. M. C. A. basket ball team journeyed to Renovo Friday and there met with a defeat which is no disgrace to their record. Renovo has five good teams and the one the Y. M. C. A. boys played was the pick of the five. At the beginning of the game the Bellefonte boys played all around their opponents, and the score stood 5—0 in favor of Bellefonte, when Keichline hurt his leg. Wallace took his place and not long after this Lingle, the forward received foul play from Young while shooting the basket and was put out of the game with a sprained ankle. This left the team in a bad fix, but Barnes took Lingle's place, the score being 9—4 at this time.

At the end of the first half the score was 10—7 in favor of Bellefonte. No more than five minutes of the second half had passed until Shields received foul play from Young, putting him out of the game. Keichline with severe pain went in and took Shield's place, the score at this juncture being 15-14 with the Y. M. C. A. in the lead. As soon as one man could recover from his injuries he would go into the game and try to win the laurels for the team from Bellefonte. Owing to their crippled condition they were unable to score but four more points while Renovo ran their score up to thirty.

Line up:

Bellefonte 18		Renovo 30
Lingle, Walker	forward	Young
Shields, Keichline	"	Smith
Hubbard	centre	Wade
Keichline, Barnes	guard	Julbert
Lane	"	Stevenson

Next week the team will play Renovo in the Y. M. M. C. A. gymnasium. If you want to see a good game come and see this one. Remember, Friday March 20th. Admission 25 cents.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

By the Short Cut

By MATIE BARNES.

Copyrighted, 1903, by M. M. Cunningham.

Sparville was grateful to Henry Griswold. Not since the engagement of McMahon's minstrels two months before had the town had so much to talk about.

Nine years ago Hank Griswold had gone to the city in his Sunday pepper and salt suit, with cowhide boots and cloth cap to complete his costume. Now he had returned Henry Griswold, and to the splendors of well tailored clothes he added the magnificence of a fur lined coat and shoes and hat equally glossy.

Sparville was accustomed to fur coats, but with the fur outside, while Henry showed only the cloth. Patent leather shoes, too, every day in the week were regarded with awe not unmixed with envy.

Even more interesting was the evident interest Griswold displayed in Nellie Morrison. They had been sweethearts in the old school days and had kept up a correspondence, a fact disseminated by the postmaster, but it was evident that Griswold had come home with the intention of cutting out Ben Pierce, who escorted Nell home from church Sunday evenings and otherwise gave evidence of ultimate serious intentions.

Public sentiment was largely in favor of Ben. Had Sparville been so frivolously minded as to indulge in betting the odds would have been about three to one in his favor, for Henry had seemed to lose interest in skating and coasting and other winter sports in which Sparville delighted.

He visited the pond and the coasting hill, but merely as a spectator, and at such times Nell, fully conscious that the exercise brought a stronger glow to her cheeks and an added sparkle to her eyes, was most inclined to hector him.

Griswold ascribed her treatment to a desire to display her powers of coquetry, but when, near the close of the second week, he made formal proposal of marriage and was refused he stared at her in dismay.

"WHO CATCHES MAY KEEP," HE QUOTED.

"It's this way," explained Nell judiciously, seeing his bewilderment. "I like you, Harry, but you are so different now. When you were a boy there was no one who could beat you in a skating race, and you used to go down Beeman's hill faster than any of the others. Now you're afraid to coast."

"I'm not afraid," denied Griswold. "I don't want to; that's all. I have found other amusements."

Nell smiled and changed the subject, and Griswold went home feeling miserable. He loved Nell, and this refusal was a blow to his heart and his pride.

It was Ben who tugged Nell's sled up Beeman's hill the following afternoon and found Griswold gloomily regarding the coasters. The hill swung in a rough half circle down the steep declivity. Usually the roadway was beaten into a glare of ice by the coasters, for it was the only good coasting place in the neighborhood.

From the brow of the hill the entire road could be observed. All summer Henry Beeman had been cutting the thick growth of pines which had covered the hillside, and now only a broad expanse of glistening snow crust dotted with the pine stumps remained.

It was a pretty spectacle, and Griswold enjoyed it in spite of the evident favor with which Nell regarded Ben, who accompanied her in her dashes downhill and the walk back again, with Nell walking by his side. Nominally Nell's sled was her sister's, and Ben's was supposed to be the property of his little cousin, but those two youngsters had little use of their possessions.

The sun was dipping toward the hills on the other side of the valley and most of the coasters had gone home when Nell settled herself for her last ride. Ben had stopped to tie his shoe laces, and Nell looked over her shoulder.

"Who catches may keep," she called as the sled gathered momentum. Ben sprang to his feet and ran for his sled, throwing himself upon it and starting off at a terrific pace.

Griswold gave one glance at the flying figure far ahead. He knew that Ben's sled was not as good as Nell's and that he would not catch her until she reached the bottom of the incline.

There was just one chance for himself, and, throwing off his coat, he caught up the pointer that Jimmie Sweeney had just brought up to the top of the hill.

At the foot of the field was a place where two lengths of the fence had fallen in, and there were two or three similar breaks where he stood. It was the work of an instant to step through one of these and throw himself face downward upon the sled.

Steering with both hands and feet, Griswold shot down the steep declivity. It was several years since he had been on a sled, but it all came back to him, and with a skill that was the talk of the hill for the remainder of the season he steered his flying sled in and out between the stumps, shaving the bark here and dodging a trunk there just as a fractured skull seemed imminent.

It took but a few seconds to accomplish the journey, but to Griswold it seemed years before he shot through the opening of the fence and with a last terrific effort swung himself into the road.

Just ahead were the smart gray jacket and saucy little hat that he was pursuing, and as he shot past he caught the runner of Nell's sled.

"'Who catches may keep,'" he quoted as he steered the two sleds into the softer snow beside the road to permit Ben to pass them.

"How did you do it?" demanded Nell wonderingly.

"Did you think it would be Ben?" he countered. The girl shook her head.

"I wanted to see if you would make an effort," she explained shyly. "All the way down I heard Ben shouting, and I was afraid that he was alone."

"He was," explained Griswold. "I came the short way."

Nell looked at the runner marks where Griswold had come through the break in the fence and then at the stump dotted hill.

"You came straight down?" she gasped.

"It was the only way," he said quietly. "Ben already had a lead on the road, and I knew that I should have to take the short cut in order to beat him."

Nell looked him over sternly. The thin leather of his shoes was cut and torn, and here and there was a rent in his clothing where he had struck a tree. The gloves hung in shreds from the scratched hands, and his necktie waved under his left ear.

"You go back and get your coat," she commanded, "and then we'll go home and tell mother and Harry. I'm awfully glad that you win," she added as he turned away to obey the command. "I didn't think you would, but I never dreamed you would come the short way. No one has dared before."

"No one else had you at the end of the slide," he explained, with a happy laugh, as she slipped her hand in his and they started up the hill after his coat.

Breaking It Gently.

A man who had literary aspirations, but lacked the literary instinct, once wrote a story and took it to the editor of a magazine. "I want you to read it over carefully," he said. "It's intended for a satire, and, if I do say it myself, I think it's pretty clever."

The editor took the manuscript and began to read it. A page or two sufficed to show him its utter hopelessness for purposes of publication, but he hesitated to crush a budding author and proceeded to temporize.

"Why, Mr.—er—Simmons," he said, "your story has some crudities, of course, and—er"—

"It's better as you get into it," interrupted the other complacently. "It's like some of Thackeray's stories."

"Ah, yes, Mr. Simmons; you do remind me somewhat of Thackeray."

"Do I?" inquired the caller.

"Yes," rejoined the editor, handing him the manuscript. "You have a nose just like his."—Youth's Companion.

Proper Form of Asseveration.

A teacher in the Garfield school was teaching a primary class the beginnings of arithmetic.

"Now, I have one pencil in my right hand and one in my left," she said. "How many pencils have I? Helen, you may answer."

"Two," piped a small voice.

"Then one and one make two, do they?"

"Sure!"

The teacher frowned at the disrespectful answer.

"That's hardly what you should have said," she said. "Will some one in the class tell Helen what her answer should have been?"

There was a moment of hesitation. Then one brown fist shot confidently into the air.

"Ah, James, you may tell Helen what she should have said!"

"Sure, Mike!" shouted Jimmy in a tone of triumph.—Kansas City Star.

Blessings of the Blind.

The calamity of the blind is immense, irreparable. But it does not take away our share of the things that count—service, friendship, humor, imagination, wisdom. It is the secret inner will that controls one's fate. We are capable of willing to be good, of loving and being loved, of thinking to the end that we may be wiser. We possess these spirit born forces equally with all God's children. Therefore we, too, see the lightnings and hear the thunders of Sinai. We, too, march through the wilderness and the solitary place that shall be glad for us, and as we pass God maketh the desert to blossom like the rose. We, too, go in unto the promised land to possess the treasures of the spirit, the unseen permanence of life and nature.—Helen Keller in Century.

SILLY FAD THE LATEST.

London Society Amuses Itself With "A Happy Family Menagerie."

To be extremely silly is the latest fad in a certain section of London smart society. So says a London correspondent. It is amazing what little practice such folk require to become experts. That is because they have a natural as well as a cultivated aptitude for brainless diversion. It was my privilege to witness some of their antics at a big west end mansion the other afternoon. In my invitation the entertainment was termed "A Happy Family Menagerie." In my ignorance I imagined that I was to see some sort of performance by animals that had been trained to overcome their natural antipathies for one another. Animals they were, to be sure, but of the human species. They did not dress for their parts. They simply acted them. It was agreed that the greatest success was achieved by a pretty young woman who said that she had been initiated into the new cult only two days before. She pretended to be a cat. She lapped her tea out of a saucer. She wouldn't eat bread with butter on it for fear the butter would get on her paws. She tidied her hair with the same movement a cat uses to wash its face. When she wished to show affection for anybody she brushed up against them and purred. Her conversation was limited to a series of meows. When it was time for her to go she gave one loud meow which embraced the whole room and tripped off to her carriage, running along the edge of the pavement the whole way.

One empty headed youth assumed to be a rooster and crowed lustily every minute or two, but his imitation was not so good as that of a young man who proclaimed his asinine proclivities by braying in a fashion that would have deceived a costermonger's donkey. A fat woman old enough to know better enacted the part of a sitting hen. When she cackled it was supposed to indicate that she had laid an egg. Other bipeds libeled the brute creation with more or less success by pretending to be cows, sheep, terriers, goats, etc. Anything sillier I have never seen. I would have given something to have heard the comments made upon it by the servants who carried around refreshments.

NEW SILK SLIPPERS.

Dainty Footwear Made of Dresden Ribbon Lined With Batting.

For those who do not care for slippers of wool or yarn new booties are made of Dresden ribbon lined with cotton batting and sewed to a sole, just as knitted slippers are. These are comparatively easy to make at home, and trimming and shirring may be used to make them as dressy as the most fastidious could desire.

Wide ribbon shirred from arch to toe and again shirred at the heel will have graceful folds at the side, and such a slipper is best made by first sewing the ribbon all around the edge of the sole and afterward shaping to fit the foot. This will necessitate taking a V shaped wedge from the material in front, but the shirring and a bow at the instep hide the seams, so the effect is not marred in any way.

It is one of the hardest of tasks to find a satisfactory woolen slipper to match the dressing gown, and by using the new idea material for both may be bought at the same time, so there will be no reason for a variation of hue.

When necessary the slipper top may be ripped off and cleaned, for sewing the ribbon to the sole takes little time, and the ever neat appearance of the slipper will well repay any trouble.

If ribbon is not used a piece of paper may be pinned to the sole and the pattern for the slipper cut, and the quilted silk may be cut from the paper. When this is done a row of tiny rosettes might be used to hide the seam in front.

HEALTH AND BEAUTY.

If the hands are not good and the nails badly shaped, try to improve the latter by training the cuticle. Every night soak the fingers in hot water for five minutes. Then with an orange wood stick press back the cuticle to lengthen the nails. Afterward rub in cold cream. Do not omit this or the soaking will make the cuticle very dry.

Sage tea as a hair tonic may be made by mixing two ounces of dried sage and two ounces of green tea, then putting them into three quarts of water, boiling in an iron kettle. This should simmer until reduced to two quarts, then stand for twenty-four hours in the same kettle. Afterward strain and apply evenly to the hair at night. It is a stain as well as tonic.

After the infant has had its bottle or been fed it should not be put at once to lie down. Instead set it upright on the knee, carefully supporting the delicate little neck with one hand while with the other you rub gently up and down the spine for a few minutes. This treatment, which is much recommended by experienced trained nurses, helps up the gas and lessens the tendency to colic and sickness.

To help reduce a double chin practice the following exercise: Stand erect in a military position. Place the hands lightly on the hips, fingers forward. Drop the chin slowly on the collar bone, then throw the head back with a quick, even movement—that is, not a jerk, yet putting all the muscles into quick play. Repeat ten times. Turn the head quickly to the right till the chin is just over the right shoulder, then back again. Repeat ten times. Then turn the head to the left in the same way. Repeat ten times. Do not tire the muscles of the neck, but gradually increase the number of exercises daily until you can practice each one about fifty times without after discomfort.

ONLY ONE.

The Record in Bellefonte is a Unique One.

If the reader has a "bad back" or any kidney ill and is looking for relief and cure, better depend on the only remedy endorsed by people you know. Doan's Kidney Pills relieve quickly—cure permanently. Bellefonté citizens testify to this. Here is a case of it:

Mrs. Emma J. Davis of E. Logan St. Bellefonte, Pa. says; I have a great deal of confidence in Doan's Kidney Pills, and have already recommended them in a published testimonial in 1897. I told how I had been relieved of kidney complaint and backache which had kept me suffering for years. Doan's Kidney Pills did this for me when other remedies had failed. Whenever I feel any symptom of my old trouble I send to F. Potts Green's drug store for a supply of Doan's Kidney Pills and it never requires more than a few doses to get me right."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster—Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no others.

EARLY RISERS
The famous little pills.

Remember that when the stomach nerves fail or weaken, Dyspepsia or Indigestion must always follow. But, strengthen these same weak inside nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and then see how quickly health will again return. Weak Heart and Kidney nerves can also be strengthened with the Restorative, where Heart pains, palpitation, or kidney weakness is found. Don't drug the Stomach, nor stimulate the Heart or Kidneys That is wrong. Go to the cause of these ailments. Strengthen these weak inside nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative and get well. A simple, single test will surely tell. Sold by Green's Pharmacy.

—"I suffered habitually from constipation. Doan's Regulets relieved and strengthened the bowels, so that they have been regular ever since."—A. E Davis, grocer, Sulphur Springs, Tex.

Grippe is sweeping the country. Stop it with Preventics, before it gets deeply seated. To check early colds with these little Candy Cold Cure Tablets is surely sensible and safe. Preventics contain no Quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh or sickening. Pneumonia would never appear if early colds were promptly broken. Also good for feverish children. Large box, 48 tablets, 25 cents. Vest pocket boxes 5 cents. Sold by Greens Pharmacy

Don't cough your head off when you can get a guaranteed Remedy in Bees Laxative Cough Syrup. It is especially recommended for children as its pleasant to take, is a gentle laxative thus expelling the phlegm from the system. For coughs, colds, croup, whooping-cough hoarseness and all Bronchial trouble. Guaranteed. Sold by Krumrines.

THE ORIGINAL LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP
KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE
CONTAINING HONEY AND TAR

A Narrow Escape

Many people have a narrow escape from pneumonia and consumption as a result of a cold that hangs on. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds no matter how deep seated and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Refuse substitutes. Sold by C. M. Parrish

INSTANT RELIEF—Coughs, Croup, Sore Throat—Brazilian Balm, 50 doses 25c.

Kodol For Indigestion.
Relieves sour stomach, palpitation of the heart. Digests what you eat.

Stimulation Without Irritation.

That is the Watchword. That is what Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does. Cleanses and stimulates the bowels without irritation in any form.

Rheumatism

I have found a tried and tested cure for Rheumatism! Not a remedy that will straighten the distorted limbs of chronic cripples, nor turn bony growths back to flesh again. That is impossible. But I can now surely kill the pains and pangs of this deplorable disease.

In Germany—while a Chemist in the City of Darmstadt—I found the last ingredient with which Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy was made a perfected, dependable prescription. Without that last ingredient, I successfully treated many, many cases of Rheumatism; but now, at last, it uniformly cures all curable cases of this heretofore much dreaded disease. Those sand-like granular wastes, found in Rheumatic blood, seem to dissolve and pass away under the action of this remedy as freely as does sugar when added to pure water. And then, when dissolved, these poisonous wastes freely pass from the system, and the cause of Rheumatism is gone forever. There is now no real need—no actual excuse to suffer longer without help. We sell, and in confidence recommend

Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy
GREEN'S PHARMACY CO.

PILES Ruby Pile Suppository. A cure guaranteed if you use it. Graded Schools, Statesville, N. C., writes: "I can say they do all you claim for them." Dr. ... Denver, Akron Rock, W. Va., writes: "They give universal satisfaction." Dr. H. D. McGill, Clarksburg, Tenn., writes: "In a practice of 22 years, I have found no remedy to equal yours." Price, 50 Cents. Samples Free. Sold by Druggists. MARTIN RUDY, LANCASTER, PA.

Sold in Bellefonte by C. M. Parrish
Call for Free Sample

PROFESSIONAL CARD

HARRY E. FENLON,
Fire Insurance.
Temple Court

A. A. DALE.
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office over Centre County Bank, corner Main and High streets, Bellefonte, Pa.

HARRY KELLER,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office in the Temple Court building, Allegheny street, Bellefonte Pa.

J. THOMAS MITCHELL.
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office in the Temple Court building, South Allegheny treet, Bellefonte, Pa.

Fire Life, Accident Plate Glass, Tornado Insurance.
Bonds of every description.
H. E. FENLON,
Office in Temple Court, Bellefonte, Pa.

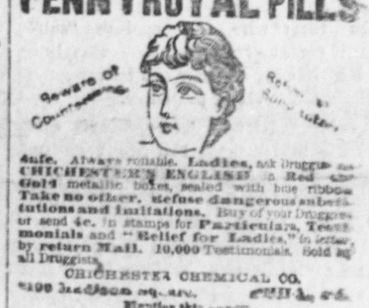
—Send $1.25 to The Bellefonte Republican and you will receive it with THE NEW-YORK TRIBUNE FARMER, the best agricultural family weekly in the United States, for a full year

WANTED—BY CHICAGO MANUFACTURING HOUSE,—person of trustworthiness and somewhat familiar with local territory as assistant in branch office. Salary $18 paid weekly. Permanent position. No investment required. Business established. Previous experience not essential to engaging. Address, Manager ranches, 323 Dearborn St. Chicago.

If a cough once gets into your system it acts on every muscle and fibre of the body and makes you ache all over. It especially affects the intestines and makes you constipated, so in order to get rid of a cold thoroughly and without delay you should not take anything that will tend to constipate. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts upon the bowels and thereby drives the cold out of the system. It contains no opiates—it is pleasant to take and is highly recommended for children. Sold by Green's Pharmacy.

FOR YOUNG OR OLD
THE BEST PILL SOLD
Rings Little Liver Pills

CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH
PENNYROYAL PILLS



Safe. Always reliable. Ladies, ask Druggist for CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with blue ribbon. Take no other. Refuse dangerous substitutions and imitations. Buy of your Druggist or send 4c. in stamps for Particulars, Testimonials and "Relief for Ladies," in letter, by return Mail. 10,000 Testimonials. Sold by all Druggists.
CHICHESTER CHEMICAL CO.
1100 Madison Sq. Phila. Pa.

PATENTS
"THE KEY TO SUCCESS"

Anyone sending a sketch and description of an invention will be promptly advised, without cost, as to its patentability. Communications strictly confidential. The handsomest illustrated book issued on patents, sent free. Patents taken through Hensey & Gough receive Special Notice, without charge, in

THE AMERICAN INVENTOR
A beautifully illustrated semi-monthly journal. Subscription, $1.50. All newsdealers, 10c a copy.

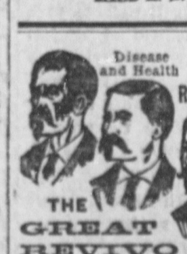
HENSEY & GOUGH 114-116 Liberty St., NEW YORK
Office of THE AMERICAN INVENTOR.
Branch Office, 1322 F Street N.W., Washington, D. C.

Disturbed the Congregation.

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by continually coughing is requested to buy a buy a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. C. M. Parrish.

THE WOMAN WHO COUGHED.

Catarrh had nearly ruined me. It had eaten away the partition in my nose; produced Asthma, Bronchitis, Rheumatism; ruined my stomach; in fact, gone all through my system. Then Grip finished me. I was a wreck; took cold at nothing; and coughed day and night. The doctors dosed me with opium and quinine. Ran good. Cough "cures"? Bah! Then Brazilian Balm renovated me. Killed every germ. Took $0 $1.00 bottles. Now I'm like a girl of 18.
MISS L. L. CLARK, Indianapolis.



Disease and Health
REVIVO RESTORES VITALITY
"Made a Well Man of Me."
THE GREAT REVIVO REMEDY

produces fine results in 30 days. It acts powerfully and quickly. Cures when others fail. Young men can regain their lost manhood, and old men may recover their youthful vigor by using REVIVO. It quickly and quietly removes Nervousness, Lost Vitality, Sexual Weakness such as Lost Power, Failing Memory, Wasting Diseases, and effects of self-abuse or excess and indiscretion, which unfits one for study, business or marriage. It not only cures by starting at the seat of disease, but is a great nerve tonic and blood builder, bringing back the pink glow to pale cheeks and restoring the fire of youth. It wards off approaching disease. Insist on having REVIVO, no other. It can be carried in vest pocket. By mail, $1.00 per package, or six for $5.00. We give free advice and counsel to all who write us with guarantee. Circulars free. Address ROYAL MEDICINE CO., Marine Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

The Bellefonte Republican

TO CORRESPONDENCE.—No communication published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

Correspondents should write upon but one side of the paper and avoid the use of pale or fancy inks.

EARLE C. TUTEN.

BRIEF MENTION

Short Items of Local Interest Gathered By The Way Side

—Play ball.

—Lock for the parade, its coming—Hi Henry.

—Old Sol disposed of much snow Thursday.

—Cast a few ballots in the Academy voting contest today.

—Don't put away your snow shovel you may need it again.

—The new spring millinery "creations" will soon be on exhibition.

—The base ball season will open at the College in a few days.

—There will be an unusually large number of flittings on April I.

—"The wearin' o' the green" was quite noticeable everywhere Tuesday.

—The early spring thaw has showed up the muddy places in Bellefonte's streets.

—Col. and Mrs. H. S. Taylor were the recipients Saturday of a bright little girl.

—Lookout for the small boy with his hoop. He is on the sidewalk and may run into you at any corner.

—The wise merchant uses printers ink as a medium for telling the people about the bargain he has in store for them.

—Under the warm rays of the sun the snow is rapidly disappearing and its disappearance will doubtless be welcomed by all.

—Arrangements are now being made for the anniversary services of the Y. M. C. A. which will be held on either the first or second Sunday of May.

—Mayor W. H. Stevenson of Lock Haven, has been selected by the Methodist conference which convenes at York on Wednesday, to lead the vocal music.

—Samuel Rumbarger, son of J. C. Rumbarger who was appointed "sub" mail carrier a few ago is now traveling with the other carriers and learning the business as well as the routes.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Harris who reside in Petriken hall are rejoicing over the arrival of twins at their home Thursday morning. A boy and a girl compose the bright little pair.

—Selecting goods from a catalogue and paying for them in advance of delivery is like courting by phonograph, and marrying by telephone, novel and mildly exciting, perhaps, but apt to turn out a poor investment.

—The Coleville band gave their first evening concert for the season on the streets Wednesday night. They enlivened the evening with a number of their usually good selections and the music was much appreciated.

—Word was received in Bellefonte Tuesday of the sudden death of John Hull, an aged farmer residing near Fillmore. On account of the telephone line to Fillmore being out of service we were not in position to get the facts.

—The survey along the old canal route from Lock Haven to Williamsport, which was thought to be in the interests of a railroad company, is now conceded to be for the interests of the Williamsport Passenger Railway company.

—The offices over the Centre County bank recently vacated by Clement Dale are now undergoing repairs. Extensive alterations are being made and a large vault is being put in. The White Rock Lime & Stone company has leased the rooms and expect to occupy them by April 1st.

—Jersey Shore is threatened with a coal famine. For a week it has been almost impossible to buy the small sizes, says the Herald. The Jersey Shore dealers are supplying their customers only with small quantities in order to accommodate all as far as possible with their limited supplies.

—That which benefits Bellefonte as a whole benefits the individual citizen, and that which injures the city as a whole injures the individual citizen. Therefore all citizens must work together for the developement of the resources of the city and stand together for the advancement of the whole city.

—A carload of household goods were placed on a siding near the passenger depot one day recently and and a drayman was loading his wagon to haul the goods to the residence of the new comer. An idler standing at the depot was heard to remark that the owner of those goods was making a foolish move in coming to Bellefonte. How pessimistic some people are about their home town. This man must have secured employment here, he must have found Bellefonte better than where he formerly lived, else he would not have located here. No resident of Bellefonte has any right to say a discouraging word about his home town. If you can't speak a good word for your town say nothing at all.

—Sunday's showers were somewhat in advance of their season.

—It is about time to look up the garden spade and other garden making implements.

—The groundhog went out somewhat lion-like, and almost every one is glad that his time is up.

—We are sorry to announce that Mrs. David Steele is seriously ill at her home on South Spring street.

—Look carefully over your fifty dollar bills. Counterfeit bills of this denomination are being circulated.

—The basket ball season is fast drawing to a close and will soon be succeeded by the national sport base ball.

—The news of the death of one of the St. Columbia basket ball players was received with regret by the Bellefonte fans.

—The grass on the plot around the Bellefonte spring has taken on a bright green hue and presents a very pretty appearance.

—H. L. Hutchison is again on duty at the Pennsylvania passenger station after a couple weeks enforced vacation on account of illness.

—Indications are that the fruit has not been injured by the severe winter weather. It is earnestly hoped that those who made this prophecy are correct in their deductions.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Meese of this place expect to take charge of the large boarding house at the corner of Twelfth street and Logan avenue, Tyrone, after the first of April.

—A number of points were added to the Academy voting contest on Saturday, showing that all interest is not lost in the movement. Let us keep at it and in time a large fund may be raised in this manner.

—If you have an item of news that is of general interest do not fail to send or bring it to this office, or use the phone. Favors of this sort are very much appreciated and always add to the interest of the publication.

—The Pennsylvania Railroad company had decided to stop the use of profanity among its employes and has posted notices to that effect. No specific penalty has been set forth but it is understood that violations will be punished by enforced vacation.

—The Huntingdon Daily New Era says: Miss Ida Claybaugh, of Warm Springs avenue, gave a party at her home on Friday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Sara Foster, of Bellefonte. The evening was spent in games and music. Fine refreshments were served by the hostess. All present had a very pleasant time.

—At a home talent minstrel given at the opera house in Houtzdale Tuesday night one of the leading characters and singers will be Prof. George Bayard, formerly of Bellefonte. The Houtzdale people have taken such interest in the play that the seats were all sold before noon Monday. Mr. Bayard does a great deal of singing in the churches in Houtzdale and is always received with great pleasure.

—If Bellefonte has a society for the prevention of cruelty to animals it might have found a good subject for arrest Monday in the person of a young man who was belaboring his horse to make it trot up hill. He evidently was in a hurry and there were three persons in the buggy. Some of the hills in town are very steep and to trot a horse up one of steepest is more than should be required of that faithful beast of burden.

—The Renovo base balls fans have taken the lead. The P. & E. base ball association was organized Friday and officers for the coming year elected. It is the intention of the association to form a league composed of the towns of Bellefonte, Lock Haven, Jersey Shore and Renovo. We hope that the efforts of the Renovo team will be successful and that they will stir up some enthusiasm in this section. We have the material and the fans but they are in a state of lethargy at present.

—The former employes of the Howard Iron works are rejoicing over the news that the rolling mill and tool works resumed operations Tuesday morning. Orders have been received to keep the works running several weeks and by that time they may have orders to keep them going. This is good news for the people down there as quite a few of the men are employed at these works and they have been out of employment for over two months.

—That good faithful fowl the hen has been one of the most industrious creatures during the business depression and scarcely did she let up during all the winter period. Her product has maintained a fair price all winter and as she is now doing her best it is evident that there will be a drop in the price of her commodity. The Lock Haven markets report a reduction of from six to eight cents on Satuyrday as yet. The price here has declined but a few cents. It is well, however, that hen fruit does not get too low in price as the cold storage men buy them up and then dispose of them in the winter at fancy prices. Of course this is modern commercialism but the storage eggs are usually of a very inferior quality.

—Exit the groundhog.

—Spring house cleaning will soon be added to the women's worries.

—Let our whole citizenship be united in the work of building up Bellefonte.

—Leap year reports are coming in slowly. What's the matter with the girls?

—Another sign of spring. The merchants had their onion sets on display Friday.

—Only one week more for candidates for county offices to file nomination papers.

—All seeds northern grown and guaranteed strictly pure at the Potter—Hoy Hdwe. Co.

—Garden seeds are now in evidence and it will not be long till garden making will be in order.

—If you have any dollars to spend invest them in Bellefonte, and thus help your home town,

—State College borough is having an epidemic of grip. The school attendance has decreased almost half.

—The future of Bellefonte depends as much on the individual as it does upon the community as a whole.

—The pay car on the Bald Eagle Valley railroad was here on Thursday and gladdened the hearts of the employes.

—The past winter has been a very hard one on the old people and not a few of them have been carried off by pneumonia.

—The promise of a good peach crop has already been made. Let us hope there will be no late frosts to injure these prospects.

—The Huntingdon Roller Rink company has been reorganized and the site of the recently burned building has been leased. It is their intention to erect a new fireproof building.

—Mr. Hubert Hale, of Philipsburg, and Miss Thomasina Davis, of Point Lookout, slipped off to Youngstown, Ohio, one day this week and were quietly married. Both are very young people.

—It is only one month till the opening of trout season. The past winter has been very favorable for the propogation of this species of game fish and it is quite probable that the season will be a good one.

—State Zoologist Surface has received many requests for his scale extermination demonstrators to work on orchards this spring, but has been obliged to call a halt. The number of men is limited and almost all of the dates are taken up.

—The commissioners of Lycoming county have offered a reward of $100 for the arrest and conviction of Francisco Minicutz, who murdered Michael Miciezzi, at Slate Run last Monday night, and $100 for information that will lead to his apprehension, arrest and conviction.

—The man who has worked hard all winter may be excused if he gets an early attack of spring fever. It is a malady to which all are subject with more or less severity, and we believe the man does not exist, no matter how ambitious he may be, who does not covet some relaxation.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Donachy expect to return to Bellefonte as soon as a suitable house can be found. Under the new system of management of the Pennsylvania Telephone company, Bellefonte has been a separate wire district, and Charley has been promoted to the position of wire chief, with headquarters here.

—It is reported on authority that State College is to have another building boom this summer. Arrangements are being made for the erection of from twenty to thirty buildings which will be mostly of brick. This will mean employment for a number of mechanics and an outlay of a considerable amount of money.

—Abram Shinafelt died at his home in Osceola at an early hour Thursday morning after a serious illness with cancer of the liver. The deceased was a native of Adams county and was aged 58 years. He was a former resident of Philipsburg and was married to Miss Martha Shoop of that place. He is survived by his wife four sons and two daughters. Funeral services were held at the home Saturday afternoon.

—With the advent of warm weather large deposits of old rubbish and refuse of all kinds are noticed in the vacant lots and alleys. Most of this matter has been covered up during the winter but is now exposed to full view and prevents an unlovely aspect. The disposal of this accumulation is a matter that should receive attention at once. It will act as a preventive of disease and will assist materially in the appearance of the town.

—Rev. James B. Stein pastor of the Methodist church preached his last sermon for the conference year Sunday and attended the session of the fortieth annual conference which met at York on Wednesday. There is every likehood that Rev. Stein will be returned to this appointment as a unanimous request from the congregation will be made to the conference for his return. C. C. Shuey has been chosen by the congregation as lay delegate with W. T. Twitmire as alternate. The laymen's electoral conference meets on Friday March 20th, at which time delegates to the general conference are elected.

—Hi Henry March 25th.

—Spring fever germs are in the air.

—Bicycles are again spinning about.

—Bargains at the Imperial every Friday

—W. Harrison Walker has announced himself as a candidate for Congress on the Democratic side.

—Harbingers of spring are quite numerous but we are of the opinion that this weather is to nice to continue.

—J. B. Gentzel, of this place, shipped a car load of horses and fresh cows to West Chester, Wednesday morning.

—The Alpha fire Company of State College is already booming a celebration of the glorious Fourth in the College town.

—Forest Bullock is breaking ground on Water street for the erection of a two-story concrete carriage shop. He expects to have his new shop completed early this summer.

—The promoters of the new opera house at Philipsburg have great confidence in the future. Plans are being made for the erection of a new building which will cost about fifty thousand dollars.

—The date for Hi Henry's minstrels has been fixed for Wednesday, March 25th. This high class minstrel troop needs no other recommendation than the fact that it is coming, and the announcement of the date.

—Calvin Wollord, of Rebersburg, and Miss Laura Barner, of Salona, were married Sunday evening by Rev. Rearick, pastor of the Salona Lutheran church.

—Philadelphia is going to celebrate old home week in October and have planned to have part of the National Guard present. Rumor has it that Company B, will be invited and the boys are looking forward to a visit to the Quaker city.

—Misses Minnie and Anna Cherry gave a party at their home on Thomas street Thursday evening in honor of Miss Sarah Stuck of Lewisburg. It was a delightful and pleasant evening for all present and the hostesses served refreshments for their guests.

—By general consent of the Republicans of the 21st Congressional district, Centre county was conceded one of the delegates to the Republican National Convention to be held in Chicago next June. The delegates are to be chosen at the primaries on April 11 next. It is quite probable that Col. W. Fred Reynolds will be Centre's choice for the honor.

—Thursday was an auspicious day for the fishermen and a great many could be seen along the banks of Spring Creek trying to catch the finny denizens of the water. There was a small flood in the creek and the water was extremely muddy which was favorable for a good catch and we envied the several disciples of Izaah Walton who passed this office with strings of nice large fish.

—The appearance of the robins with their early morning cheer ups and the other song birds with their beautiful morning symphonies announces the arrival of spring although it is not yet due by the calender. We all wanted to see an old fashioned winter and we got it. Now that Spring is so near we welcome it and may the days speedily come when all nature will bedeck itself in its most beautiful costumes.

—Delegates from the several councils of the Royal Arcanum in the West Branch Valley will meet at the Park Hotel in Williamsport next Friday afternoon to organize the "Associate Councils of the Susquehanna River Valley. Delegates are expected to be present from Renovo, Lock Haven, Bellefonte, Jersey Shore, Muncy, Watsontown, Milton, Lewisburg, Sunbury, Bloomsburg and Berwick.

—At a meeting of the Presbyterian church held at Birmingham, near Tyrone, Monday, a call was issued to Rev. J. A. Woodcock, of Philadelphia, to become pastor of the Birmingham Presbyterian church. Rev. Woodcock is well known to all Bellefonte people, having lived here most of his life. It is the wish of his many friends that he will accept the call and thus be brought nearer his former home and friends.

—The Bellefonte Central train had a narrow escape on its way to State College Monday morning. A culvert was frozen shut where the road crosses Buffalo Run valley, and the rain and thaw of the past few days had formed a small lake with the railroan fill as its breast. The train had hardly crossed the fill when the high embankment went out and a large amount of water swept down the valley. If the break had occurred a few seconds sooner the train would have gone with it and probably all on board would have lost their lives.

The Matrimonial Market.

The following marriage licenses were issued during the past week by Register Earle C. Tuten

Israel Kaufman Mary Mandolman	Gallitzen Philipsburg
James N. Alters Hattie M. Shaurer	Spring Mills " "
Harry E. Bible Bertha M. Babb	Spring Mills " "

PERSONALS

Short But Newsy Personals of Those Who Come And Go.

Druggist Zellers spent the Sabbath in Mill Hall.

John Raymond was a visitor in Lock over Sunday.

T. A. Shoemaker was a passenger west Sunday evening.

Samuel Taylor left for New York on Friday evening.

Mr. Thomas Shaughensey left for Altoona Friday noon.

Bud O'Neil of Altoona was a visitor in Bellefonte on Friday.

M. S. Betz of Jacksonville transacted business in town Tuesday.

Sigmund Joseph departed on Sunday evening for New York city.

Mrs. Stahl Smith attended the funeral of her aunt in Lock Haven Monday.

Mrs. Emil Joseph returned from a trip to New York and Philadelphia.

Wallace Gephart, Supt. of the Central Railroad spent Sunday at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Harry Baney of Atlantic City is a guest at the Hunsinger home on Curtin street.

Ex-Sheriff Robert Cook and John A. Haagen of Howard were Bellefonte visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Homer Crissman left Friday afternoon for Sunbury to spend a couple of days.

Mrs. John Nolan and son Gerald of Lock Haven spent a few hours in Bellefonte on Sunday.

Grant Klising yardmaster of the Pennsylvania railroad at Snow Shoe, was a visitor in town Friday.

Miss Sarah Vallance of Lock Haven is visiting Mrs. Philip A. King and the McGowan family at Roopsburg.

W. H. Long one of Howard's most prominent business promoters transacted business in Bellefonte Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stoughton of Lewisburg passed through here on their way to Pittsburg Saturday forenoon.

Mrs. H. A. Moore and son Chester and Mrs. A. Weber and daughter Emma, all of Howard are visitors in town Monday.

Charles E. Fisher, a candidate for the Republican nomination for the legislature, was a Bellefonte visitor Tuesday.

Mr. J. C. Reed of Boalsburg was a business visitor in Bellefonte Saturday and was a welcome caller at this office.

W. Harrison Walker Esq., attended a meeting of the heirs of the Barbara A. Long Estate at Lock Haven Tuesday.

John S. Saxton, assistant superintendent of the Prudential Insurance at Lock Haven, transacted business in town Wednesday.

Mrs. James Noonan of the Brant House with Margaret and Geraldine, departed Saturday forenoon for N. Y. for a week's visit.

Mrs. Synick Walker, Mrs. Frank Lockard and Miss Ruth Rapp spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Peters at Snow Shoe.

Miss Essie Viehdorfer has resigned her position as stenographer for James A. B. Miller and will go to Irwin for an extended visit with her sister.

A. J. Walker, of Mosbannon, who is looking after the interest of Samuel Freeze near Snow Shoe, transacted business at the county seat Monday.

Miles Gephart, a former resident of Bellefonte, but who is now located in Philadelphia, was a visitor in town Saturday. His many friends were glad to greet him.

Isaac H. Pecht, of McVeytown was a business visitor in town on Saturday and was a pleasant caller at this office. Mr. Pecht expects to leave McVeytown soon and will locate somewhere in Virginia.

R. T. Comley of Union township was in Bellefonte Tuesday getting signers on his petition to the county commissioners to have his name on the tickets at the coming primaries for the office of county treasurer. He was accompanied by J. A. Williams of Huston township.

Miss Grace Marvin, of New York, arrived in Bellefonte Sunday morning and will take charge of the millinery department of Joseph Brothers & Company's store. Miss Marvin is a well known millinery artist and has a host of friends in Bellefonte who will be glad to welcome her back.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Keister, of Johnsonburg, visited friends in Bellefonte Monday. They were former residents of Clintondale but have been living in the Paper city for a number of years. Mr. Keister is engaged in the draying business and has been very successful since locating in that thriving Elk county town.

The Tyrone Herald says that Wallace C. Gates, of Worriorsmark and Harry Hazel of Bellefonte started on Sunday for Baroda, Mich., where they have secured positions on a farm. They were accompanied by Miss Edna Warregan, of Baroda.

Hon. John A. Woodward of Howard, was a visitor in town Wednesday.

Wm. P. Homes returned home from a visit to Philadelphia Tuesday evening.

Judge and Mrs. Ellis L. Orvis departed Wednesday afternoon for Philadelphia.

William F. Snope, collector for the Bell Telephone Company left Wednesday for Lock Haven.

J. R. Pheasant, of Mr. Eagle, was in town Wednesday afternoon and attended the meeting of the G. A. R. in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jones and son Thomas, of Scotland, S. D., who have been visiting relatives and friends in the vicinity of Woodward, were in Bellefonte Tuesday. They started on their homeward trip on Wednesday.

Clint Francis, general agent of the Hi Henry minstrels, was in town Wednesday arranging for the appearance of the famous troupe which will be at the opera house Wednesday, March 25th., with a special matinee in the afternoon.

Chauncy Pletcher, of Howard was a visitor at the county seat Wednesday. The vote on judge of election at Howard was tie and Mr. Pletcher was elected inspector on the Republican side by a large majority. A question has arisen as to who appoints a judge in this case, some claiming the Court makes the appointment and some think the appointment is in the hands of the majority inspector. It is an interesting case and a decision has not yet been reached.

CURFEW, PAST AND PRESENT.

The W. C. T. U. Gives Us an Interesting Letter on the Subject.

Under the above caption there appeared in the Pittsburg Herald of Tuesday an instructive letter from a citizen of Wilkinsburg, The Bellefonte W. C. T. U. is very much interested in the matter of the curfew ordinance as it is under the cover of darkness that most young men learn the habits of intemperance, and they have requested us to reprint the article in the columns of the Daily News and Republican. The article is appended in its entirety:

EDITOR OF THE HERALD:

Sir:—I beg the permission through your columns to express my appreciation of the action of the Borough Council in passing the curfew ordinance.

I know whereof I speak, too, in saying that many in our community the vast majority, I believe—cordially approve this ordinance.

If to any it seems an innovation, a reasonable test of a year or so of its practicability will result doubtless in their belief in the measure also. It seems unfortunate and a bit amusing that this modern curfew is sometimes confused with the curfew of William the Conqueror of the 11th century, A. D. The latter was a police measure to guard against fire, as the word signified, being derived from the French "couvir" to cover, and "feu" fire. At the ringing of a bell the people were to cover their fires and retire to rest.

The modern curfew ordinance has merely borrowed the word "curfew" by reason doubtless of the association of the ringing of a bell, to characterize those laws intended to keep young people off the streets after a certain hour at night. This curfew law is but one of many results of modern study of the child and the child-mind. This study, a product mainly of the last twenty-five years, has completely revolutionized systems of education, giving what is called modern pedagogy and psychology, and inspiring manifold activities in the interests of children—the movement for playgrounds, guilds, clubs, athletics, etc. The curfew law, therefore, in its present form, is modern, and a product of the progressive spirit of the age, looking to the physical, mental and moral welfare of our youth. It is since 1894 that the term curfew law, with its present meaning, has come into current use.

It is of interest to note that the curfew ordinance is now in force in several thousand cities and towns in our country. Officials of some of these towns have reported a decrease of 80 per cent in juvenile arrests, under the operation of the ordinance. Cities, too, have reported a marked decrease in the number of commitments to reform schools. Teachers in public schools comment on the improvement of pupils in their studies and parents have welcomed it as a protector of their children, and a friends of the home.

Benjamin Harrison called the curfew law "the most important municipal regulation for the protection of the children of American homes, from the views of the streets, of the present century."

GEO. WHITEFIELD MEAD.

Wilkinsburg, March 9, 1908.

Our Mailing List Corrected.

The mailing list of the Bellefonte Republican has been corrected to March 10, 1908 and all who paid their subscriptions prior to that date will find proper credit given by change of date on their lable.

We feel very grateful to the many subscribers who hove responded to our call, but there a good many who are back over a year. Please let us hear from you before April 1st.